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### Senators Study Tourist Business

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## GIVE DATA ON PRESS MEETING

Eight Canadians to Be Invited to Imperial Conference in South Africa

Canadian Press  
Toronto, May 3.—Canada will be invited to send eight delegates to the Fifth Imperial Press Conference, it was announced at the annual meeting of the Canadian section of the Empire Press-Union here yesterday. The conference will be held in the Union of South Africa from May 6 to June 21, 1935.

Details of the trip were explained at yesterday's meeting, held under the chairmanship of J. H. Woods, editor of The Calgary Herald. There will be a tour of South Africa and Rhodesia, the delegates to be the guests of the South African section. Preliminary arrangements for selection of delegates were left in the hands of the executive.

Reports presented at the meeting showed the Canadian section to be in a flourishing condition, with membership well maintained.

The following officers were elected: Honorary chairman, Lord Atholstan, Montreal Star; chairman, J. H. Woods, Calgary Herald; honorary secretary, W. A. Craik, Industrial Canada, Toronto; executive committee (representing daily newspapers): J. W. Daffoe, Winnipeg Free Press; Henri Gagnon, Quebec La Presse; P. D. Ross, Ottawa Journal; representing weekly newspapers, E. Roy, Sayle, Renfrew Mercury; representing trade and class publications, H. T. Hunter, Maclean Publishing Company Limited, Toronto; auditor, T. F. Drummond, Saint John Telegraph-Journal. Representatives on the council of the Empire Press-Union: J. H. Woods, Calgary Herald; P. D. Ross, Ottawa Journal; J. W. Daffoe, Winnipeg Free Press; B. C. Nicholas, Victoria Times; J. P. B. Livesay, general manager, the Canadian Press, Toronto; W. Rupert Davies, Kingston Whig-Standard; Oswald Maynard, Montreal La Presse; Hon. W. H. Dennis, Halifax Herald; C. F. Crandall, British United Press Limited, Montreal.

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### Scholarships In Memory of Currie

London, Ont., May 3.—Establishment of two scholarships at the University of Western Ontario in memory of Sir Arthur Currie, commander-in-chief of the Canadian corps in France and principal of McGill University, Montreal, had been authorized today by the board of governors of the Ontario institution.

Select students in schools of western Ontario who show high standing in middle or upper school matriculation courses and prowess in athletics may compete.

## McGEER POINTS TO EVIDENCE IN NEW LINCOLN ARGUMENT

Students of History in U.S. Say Charge Bankers Promoted Murder of Emancipator Without Foundation

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, May 3.—The evidence presented at the trial of those implicated in the assassination of Abraham Lincoln discloses they had been promoted to murder the President of the United States by international financiers, Gerald McGeer, K.C., M.P.P., Vancouver, repeated yesterday.

Mr. McGeer, who had made this statement Tuesday to the House of Commons committee on banking and commerce, was replying to a denial issued yesterday by Miss Ida M. Tarbell, biographer of Lincoln.

"It is quite apparent," said Mr. McGeer, "that Miss Tarbell has not read the evidence submitted at the trial of Lincoln's assassins. Like a great many of Lincoln's biographers her description of Lincoln is purely superficial. She has never read the evidence which shows that Lincoln was a monetary reformer, nor was the fight that took place between Lincoln and the 'sound money' men of his day mentioned by Miss Tarbell in her presentation of the Great Emancipator's life in the books she has written."

"Of course, I acknowledge that the evidence indicating that Lincoln was the victim of the international credit racketeers who were, in his day, looking forward to the time when they would fasten on the American people the gold standard money system, which has proved to be the greatest swindling racket that was ever established, is circumstantial."

ENGAGED AS MERCENARY  
"But," said Mr. McGeer, "that Booth was engaged as a mercenary to assassinate Lincoln is a matter of positive evidence given at the trial of the man and Mrs. Surratt who were found guilty and hanged for their part in the destruction of Lincoln. Booth was in the employ of a group of men who could undertake anything they wished to do without regard to the cost."

"I have not the evidence here at the moment, but if I recall it correctly, the name of the man who gave the evidence was Richard Montgomery."

Chicago, May 3.—The story that Lincoln's assassination was engineered by "international bankers," as told to a Canadian parliamentary committee yesterday, was branded yesterday by Lincoln experts as a "fair tale: entirely without basis in fact."

It was Gerald G. McGeer, K.C., M.P., of Vancouver, testifying at a banking committee hearing, who brought the bankers into John Wilkes Booth's plot. They wanted Lincoln out of the way, he said, so they could control the world's currency.

BASELESS FANTASIES  
Otto Eisenschiml of Chicago, who has specialized in the details of the plot and the trial of the conspirators, said the story was one of numerous baseless fantasies that were around the country in the decades after Lincoln.

"Most of these stories had their origin in the revelations of perjury by federal witnesses at the trial of the four conspirators. (Booth himself was killed by his captors)."

Harper Leach, Daily News editorial writer and an authority on United States financial history, said the bankers were not opposed to Lincoln's monetary policies, that most of the Civil War bonds went to bankers and carried a clause requiring payment in gold, not the greenbacks mentioned by Mr. McGeer, and that Lincoln signed the National Banking Act in 1863, approved by bankers.

"It's another of those tales that have been going around the parties and the backwoods for sixty years," Leach added.

In New York, Ida Tarbell, Lincoln biographer, called Mr. McGeer's story "just loose talk" and said Booth shot Lincoln because he regarded the President as destroyer of his beloved south.

### BREAD BOARD IS REQUESTED

Special Regulations Governing Sales in Canada Proposed at Ottawa Inquiry

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, May 3.—Creation of a Dominion licensing board with powers designed to meet the problem of chain or departmental stores was proposed to the Stevens price spreads and mass buying committee of the Commons yesterday by Mark Bredin, president of Bredin Bread Company, Toronto.

Submission of baking codes proposed by the industry in British Columbia and Saint John, N.B., was made earlier in the day. Mill-contractors' baking establishments were attacked by James Dempster, Toronto baker. The board which Mr. Bredin advocated would have to be clothed with the following powers:

To regulate all bakers, jobbers and independent distributors of bread to operate under a license.

The setting up of an advisory body representing the bakers to assist the licensing body in carrying out its functions, such as advisory body consisting of representatives of provincial associations of the baking industry.

The regulation of the price of bread in co-operation with the board or committee, such price to have as its basis the cost of raw materials, all production, delivery and other costs including a fair scale of wages with minimum wages and maximum hours as adopted, and to be enforced by the properly constituted authorities.

### Chinese Convicts To Be Soldiers

Associated Press  
Nanking, May 3.—Gen. Chiang Kai-shek, war lord of China, yesterday ordered that all prisoners—numbering tens of thousands in Chinese prisons—be trained as soldiers.

### BRITISH-JAPANESE LINKS ADVOCATED

Canadian Press from Havas  
London, May 3.—The need for understanding between Great Britain and Japan was never greater than at the present time, it was declared by the Japanese ambassador to Great Britain yesterday evening at a dinner tendered by him to Prince and Princess Kaya of Japan and Sir Robert Clive, British ambassador designate to Japan.

### NEWSPAPERS NAME HEADS

W. J. J. Butler, Toronto Mail and Empire, President of C.D.N.A.

Canadian Press  
Toronto, May 3.—W. J. J. Butler of Toronto, director of advertising of The Mail and Empire, was elected president of the Canadian Daily Newspapers Association at the conclusion of the annual convention here yesterday.

O. L. Spencer, managing director of The Calgary Herald, was elected vice-president, and William Wallace of Toronto Star was elected treasurer. A. W. Robb, business manager of The Herald and Mail of Halifax, is past president of the association. Directors for 1934 follow:

H. G. Brewer, Montreal Star; Senator W. A. Buchanan, Lethbridge Herald; F. J. Burd, Vancouver Province; W. J. J. Butler, Mail and Empire, Toronto; C. D. Dingman, Beacon-Herald, Stratford; T. F. Drummond, Telegraph-Journal, Saint John; T. N. Swan, Toronto Telegram; H. A. Graybiel, Border Cities Star, Windsor; Emile Jean, Le Nouvelliste, Three Rivers; I. Kerr, Hamilton Spectator; H. E. Lemieux, Le Droit, Ottawa; E. H. Macklin, Canadian Observer, Sarnia; Thomas Miller, Times-Herald, Moose Jaw; W. J. Motz, Record, Kitchener; H. B. Muir, Whig-Standard, Kingston; Col. R. F. Parkinson, Ottawa Journal; Georges Pelletier, Le Devoir, Montreal; W. B. Preston, Express, Brantford; A. O. Sampson, Chronicle-Star, Halifax; Victor Sifton, Leader-Post, Regina; E. G. Smith, Chronicle-Telegraph, Quebec; O. L. Spencer, Calgary Daily Herald; W. J. C. Sutton, Gazette, Montreal; Charles Thomas, Free Press, London, and William Wallace, Toronto Star.

## SEES SIGNS OF RECOVERY

W. Sanford Evans, Canadian Chamber of Commerce Head, Speaks

Washington, May 3.—Sounding a note of optimism for the future and painting a careful picture of the recovery progress now noticeable in Canada, W. Sanford Evans, of Winnipeg, president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, today addressed members of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States in session here.

After conveying greetings from the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Evans said:

"For the present meeting of this great parliament of business you have set the theme of recovery. There has been recovery. It is a fact, and all the more assured because it is in evidence in many countries. Methods differ, but all are striving to the end. But recovery, as your chamber is demonstrating that it recognizes, presents problems no less serious than those of decline. It is so easy to fall to see to what causes changes are really due. To attribute causal relationship to what may be mere coincidence, to acquire in claims for particular methods, which may not have contributed to the results and which may be entirely due to the negative merit of not having been powerful enough to thwart the operation of more general causes, may be to fasten on business for many years to come awkward or crippling restrictions. This is a time for the most alert watchfulness, for the keen mind and the will to accept only the true and the best. We have a long way yet to go, but we have started and we must win through."

EMERGENCY ACTION

Special emergency action taken by Canadian governments were outlined by Mr. Evans under the heads of monetary policy, trade and tariff policies, financial assistance to industries, debt adjustment and unemployment relief. Mr. Evans then continued:

"Taking all these governmental policies and measures into account, it is evident they have not constituted a governmental scheme of reconstruction. Canadian governments dispensed moderate doses of assistance, but did not diagnose for or undertake any kind of major operation. If under these conditions Canada did not sink deeper into depression than the average of other countries, and has already recovered to substantially the same degree, may there not be a suggestion that the forces everywhere have been more general and more powerful than those arising from the direct corrective actions of governments?"

OFF GOLD STANDARD

"What has been said above applies to the position in Canada up to date. Many recent developments raise a

question whether some change of attitude in governmental policies may, whether deliberately or not, be in process. Canada went off gold in good company in 1931, but until within the last few weeks she showed no signs of going off democracy—despite illustrious examples. Now, however, legislation providing for boards and controls that did not before exist is being passed and both Dominion and provincial governments are taking to themselves general authority to exercise, within certain large spheres, powers of the state by executive decree. So far, the production and marketing of natural products is the principal sphere affected, but in some instances the new authority is wider or would appear capable of wide extension. No new general plan of action or new objectives for Canada have been proposed, and until this date of application of the new powers is attempted, if they are to be used at all, it will not be possible to estimate what significance the recent incidents may have."

BUSINESS GROWTH  
"Measuring February, 1934, against February, 1933, said Mr. Evans, 'the physical volume of business in Canada showed an increase of 28.95 per cent. Employment in industry had increased 20.5 per cent. General wholesale prices had risen 13.36 per cent. Farm prices, however, had risen 31.4 per cent., or two and one-third times as much in percentage as the average of all wholesale prices and had thus materially lessened the unnatural spread between class prices which has been preventing free exchanges. Cost of living had increased less than 1 per cent. Total foreign trade in the year ended March 31 last was \$1,019,450,000, as against \$887,098,000 in the previous year, an increase of 14.9 per cent. and the favorable balance of trade was \$151,000,000 as against \$74,000,000 the year before."

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## CANNED FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

## THE BRITISH COLUMBIA BOARD OF

Industrial Relations has under consideration a brief from the growers and canners of fruit and vegetables from all parts of the province. The arguments presented involve a number of important features of the associated industries, prominent among which is the competition of eastern growers and canners with their lower costs of production. It is set forth that while the total pack of canned vegetables increased in Canada last year over 1929 by twenty-nine per cent, Ontario's pack increasing forty-four per cent, and Quebec, forty-six per cent. In the case of canned fruits, the total production in Canada increased 4.5 per cent in 1933 over 1929, but, while Ontario showed an increased pack of 7.4 per cent, British Columbia's production decreased forty-four per cent.

The brief recalls that Premier Pattullo observed some time ago that the imports of canned fruits and vegetables from other provinces into British Columbia were of a total value of \$224,000, and then proceeds:

We are in a position to say that this figure is far below the mark, representing probably only half the value of canned fruits and vegetables imported into this province annually from eastern Canada, chiefly by water, those goods being of a kind that are or could quite readily, given the opportunity to British Columbia producers to operate on a competitive basis, be produced in this province with consequent beneficial results to the agricultural industry and to labor.

There is no hearsay about these importations from eastern Canada as practically every intercoastal vessel coming into Vancouver from eastern Canada carries consignments mounting in some cases to 20,000 cases. The continuance of these imports obviously means the cutting down of British Columbia production by just exactly the amount of the eastern Canadian shipments, with consequent harmful effects on the growers and on the employees in the plants, to say nothing of the British Columbia canning companies. Every case of eastern Canadian canned goods coming into British Columbia means just that much less gainful employment for cannery employees and those in related industries as well as reduced earnings for growers.

The effect of present conditions has already made itself apparent not only in reduced pack, the brief shows, but by the progressive closing down of plants in various parts of the province. Last year twenty-two plants operated in the province with seven closed down. Were it possible for the British Columbia industry to operate on a basis more nearly competitive with eastern Canada, the board is told, not only would the seven closed plants re-open, but that in the course of a comparatively short time others would be constructed in other parts of the province to take care of the production of various districts. It is the fact that with a perishable commodity like fruits and vegetables, the closer to the point of growth they can be canned the better the finished product. While it is, of course, not impossible to transport fresh fruits and vegetables considerable distances for processing, this has been found in the long run not to be feasible, and the history of the industry in Ontario and British Columbia, and more recently in Quebec, and now in Alberta, has been that as soon as production in a given district reaches the point where it is commercially possible for a plant to operate, it is not long before the plant is built.

The decrease in the production on both canned vegetables and canned fruits in British Columbia suggests that producers and consumers, in their own interests, ought to display a better co-operative spirit than is apparent in the decline of output and the increase in importation from other provinces. British Columbia should be able to hold its own in this regard without materially interfering with the present wage scales.

It is notorious that this province imports hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of food which could just as well be produced within our own borders. That this condition is not remedied would seem to lie in the fact that the producers do not tell the consumers about their products in a sufficiently convincing fashion. For example, it would be fairly safe to say that only a comparatively few people in British Columbia realize how much and in what variety is put up in the province in the form of canned food. It should be good business for the score or more producers who have taken their troubles to the Board of Industrial Relations to set out in understandable form what canned goods the province requires each year, what the labor involved represents in dollars and cents, and what is coming in from other provinces which could be produced here.

The brief to which we have referred is, in effect, a plea against the practicability of applying the minimum wage scale to this industry. No doubt if the public of this province gave more patronage to British Columbia products the provincial canners would be able to meet this difficulty in a satisfactory way.

## THE PRESIDENT'S TARIFF AUTHORITY

**THE RECIPROCAL TARIFF BILL** IS now in the United States Senate, already having passed the House of Representatives. There is an amendment to the original bill which provides for hearings of affected industries before any tariff reductions are put into force.

It is to be hoped that Canada and the United States will be able to get together on the matter of reciprocal trade. In the Roosevelt administration there are out-and-out disciples of free trade. As the Winnipeg Free Press points out, there are Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, and Mr. Henry Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture. "Mr. Hull," says our contemporary, "one of the few 'old line' Democrats among Mr. Roosevelt's official colleagues, is a free trader and has been battling for lower tariffs during most of his long political career. He hails from Tennessee, a cotton-growing state, which depends on export markets for prosperity, and has, therefore, a

sectional bias against high protection. As secretary of state since March, 1933, he has not wavered from the line he used to take as a senator. To a New York meeting last week he denounced economic nationalism and said: 'World standards of living are bound to decline further rather than rise, without the restoration and expansion of international trade.' The Free Press then goes on:

"Mr. Wallace is a politician with quite a different background and record. He is one of the young radicals at Washington, head of the department in which Dr. R. G. Tugwell, the brain trust and planner, is second in command. Mr. Wallace has never belonged to the Democratic party. He was labelled a Progressive Republican before joining the Roosevelt cabinet and comes from the middle west, where the theory of protection is well entrenched. Mr. Wallace might thus be expected to be in full accord with the nationalistic trend of the Roosevelt programme. It is evident from his speeches that he is not."

"Repeatedly in the last twelve months, and most recently in giving evidence to a senate committee on farm conditions, Mr. Wallace has declared that in his opinion the best hope for American farmers is the restoration of international trade. These farmers, Mr. Wallace says, must find markets abroad, but they cannot so long as American tariff policy prevents foreign countries from paying in goods. The United States, he points out, is a creditor nation and must be prepared to accept a yearly surplus of imports over exports. An 'unfavorable' balance must become the normal state of American foreign trade. Mr. Wallace frankly advocates a reduction of the United States tariff."

"There is nothing original or revolutionary in his ideas. They are the familiar ideas of the free trader or advocate of low tariffs. What gives them interest is that they come from a leading member of a government apparently committed to economic nationalism. In particular, Mr. Wallace's views clash with those of Dr. Tugwell and with the general drift of the Roosevelt farm policy. While the brain trusters have not in so many words suggested that United States farmers should abandon export trade, they have said that this trade is of negligible importance and that the recipe for farm prosperity is a guaranteed home market plus subsidies. With this opinion Mr. Wallace evidently disagrees."

Our Winnipeg contemporary concludes on this note: "It is significant that Mr. Wallace has expanded this view into a general advocacy of lower tariffs. His utterances are at variance with the acts of Mr. Roosevelt, who has to date proposed no change in the tariff, but they are not at variance with the platform on which Mr. Roosevelt was elected. A pledge to lower customs duties, generally through reciprocal bargains with other nations, appeared in that platform. It is a heartening fact that at least two members of the Roosevelt cabinet continue to speak up for this part of the party programme. They are more likely to get a hearing now than a year ago when the United States was in the first glow of enthusiasm for the new deal."

## COLONEL LENNOX PASSES

**THE DEATH OF COLONEL HERBERT** Lennox, member of the House of Commons for North York, will occasion a by-election in a riding which has remained in the Conservative column since 1925. Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King having won it in the general election of 1921 with a majority of 1,055, being returned by acclamation in 1922.

Colonel Lennox had a distinguished career as a lawyer and he took the 208th Battalion overseas with the rank of lieutenant-colonel. From 1905 to 1919 he was a member of the Ontario Legislature, and was first elected to the House of Commons as a Conservative in the general election of 1925. He was a brilliant criminal lawyer, and his medical advisers say that overwork was responsible for his death.

In the three elections which the late Colonel Lennox won, his majorities were: 1925, 494; 1926, 300; 1930, 298. Interest will centre on the speculation as to whether Premier Bennett will bring on a by-election to fill the vacancy or wait until he goes—or allows somebody else to go—to the country.

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

**SUFFOCATED BY EXPERTS**  
 The Country Life in B.C.

The world has been smothered and suffocated with theories and experts' opinions on this and that since 1929. A little old common sense will clear up the financial, commercial, industrial, agricultural, political, domestic, and all other ills which now afflict us.

**WHAT IS THE ANSWER?**  
 The Winnipeg Free Press

Of the 8,000 heads of families on relief in Winnipeg many must be artisans, tradesmen, clerical workers, and trained in all manner of occupations. Has any solid attempt ever been made to list these people according to their working capacity and try to liquidate the relief problem by making it self-supporting?

Why should the unemployed not work for their own subsistence when they contain among themselves the industrial ability necessary to do so? Bakers, tailors, shoemakers, carpenters, laborers, clerks, etc., why should they not bake, and clerk and tailor for one another, to their own benefit and the relief of the taxpayer?

**RIDES HIGH**  
 The New York Sun

As matters stand to-day the President feels no real restraining pressure. The mass of the people, sick from four years of depression, is with him. Congress is with him. Democrats and radical stand shoulder to shoulder. He has no "little group of wily men" to obstruct him, as Lincoln had; no ambitious cabinet officers to question or embarrass him, as Lincoln had. He has everything that the autocrat needs for success or failure, for while he has the fervent support of those who believe that radical methods are needed for recovery, he paradoxically still enjoys the flexible and patient faith of many who believe that he is at heart conservative and will keep the country out of the quicksand of uncontrolled inflation. It is only when these latter count the billions now flowing away, some never return, that their faith is stretched almost to breaking.

## A THOUGHT

But foolish and unlearned questions avoid, knowing that they do gender strife.—St. Timothy II 23.  
 To know that which before us lies in daily life is the prime of wisdom.—Milton.

## Ottawa and Its Politics

Members talk better when public is not listening.—An election this year—The Big Chiefs.

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

## OTTAWA.

IF YOU are an innocent yokel from the Far West, and can keep your eyes and ears open, you may learn a lot in Ottawa these days, most of which won't be true, but all of which will be interesting.

You may start the day by breakfasting in one of the Chateau Laurier's suites of Babytonic splendor and listening to a great national figure wallow in his bath while he proves by statistics that our economic system is about to collapse. You may finish the day with an eminent statesman who imparts the real inside story of this man Bennett to you over a club sandwich.

In between times you have probably talked very confidentially to Mr. Mackenzie King in his stone tower, to Mr. Woodsworth, the socialist, amid the strange litter of his office on the sixth floor, to a millionaire financier who is just back from Europe and says we shall soon be involved in another European war if we don't look out.

## IDEAS

THAT'S THE real fascination of Ottawa in these weird times—not the outside of Parliament, not what is said for Hansard and the public, but the inside, which is said between friends; the ideas—many of them absurd, but all instructive—that surge through the capital just now, that pass from mind to mind and mouth to mouth like chain lightning.

Here, as nowhere else in Canada, men from everywhere bump into one another, talk freely because they are away from home, make Ottawa not merely a political capital, but the nerve centre of our Canadian civilization, if there is such a thing. You may see anyone in the Chateau lobby downstairs, and hear anything. The whole picture of Canadian life rushes past you like a movie. The thoughts that men are thinking from Halifax to Victoria pour out of this loud speaker.

You mustn't believe them all, but few days of just wandering around this capital and listening, while it may bewilder you at first, yet somehow will give you a strange, topsy-turvy pattern of things containing a real background of truth. Indeed, until you hear what they talk about here in their unofficial moments, in their bathtubs, over their coffee, you are not equipped to understand what the official policies and outward movements of politics are really about.

## OPINIONS

LISTEN. (This from a man who may be premier of Canada some day). If you were to make a few speeches and beat the drum a bit, you could make the West vote for secession from this country, four to one.

"Sure, everybody's crazy these days. (This from a man who just missed being premier). Everybody will vote for anything that happens to exist at the moment. Sure they'd vote to secede, and where would they go? They don't know, they don't care. But if you don't give the West a chance, and the Maritimes, too, you'll bust this country all up in a few years."

"King's got it all figured out. (The man who is talking should know). He figures Bennett is sure to go to the country this year. Why? Well, just think it over. He's started on a central bank scheme which may work and may not. It's full of grief anyway. So it's the Marketing Act—of course. It's just about pure socialism. Woodsworth says, but the government didn't realize that until it woke up on the old, grey dawn of the morning."

He goes ahead with this stuff they'll be in a jam. If they don't go ahead they'll be in a worse jam still. So they'll go to the country before they have to do any of these things. They won't win, of course, but they'll keep the party from busting into pieces. By this time next year they won't be able to save anything from the wreck."

## BENNETT WILL DECIDE

YOU MIGHT be right," says the private Conservative member from the West. "Of course, if we had anything to say about it, we'd try to luck and hang on for another year. But Bennett will decide it all alone, with his conscience. Say, I wouldn't be surprised to wake up tomorrow morning and hear that he'd got mad in the middle of the night and dissolved the House. You know how he is."

"You got Bennett wrong," he says to me, mind you. "Don't speak to me, but I want to tell you he's the most lovable fellow in politics—just like a big kid. Of course, he's through. He's going to England and take a title. He's just realized for the first time, since South Oxford, that the people don't want him. That was a smack right between the eyes. You'll see—he'll want to get out of this game now as soon as he can."

"After him, the deluge. Rhodes? Rhodes is going to be head of the central bank. Guthrie—too old, too much like a wooden Indian. That leaves Henry Herbert Stevens and boy, is he working for it?"

"You've forgotten Meighen. Haven't you heard? He's leaving the Senate and going right after the leadership."

"The trouble with you fellows is you don't understand King. I know he behaves like a fish in public, but that's just to hide his—well, his diffidence, if you want to call it that. You ought to see him in his own house—showing you the library and his dogs and the bed Laurier died in. I want to tell you, King is a human being. Our trouble is to make the public realize it. Did you know King was the only man who turned

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## Other People's Views

## CONSERVATION

To the Editor:—May I through your column humbly offer congratulations to Miss Mary H. Bathorn for the courageous and unselfish spirit shown in her letter of the 26th ult., in which she champions the cause of conservation of our scenic beauty, nor am I forgetting the very able way in which she so splendidly put forth her view, together with those of distinguished authorities as well on the subject who know the great value of our scenic beauty, and what it means to every citizen of to-day.

(Yes and let us forget posterity as well.) It would take an able pen than mine to do justice to the subject in question. But when one has such vision and ability to place this matter so logically before us, as Miss Bathorn, the least any responsible citizen can do is to back her up in her noble effort. In Victoria we have clubs and societies a plenty, still one more perhaps would not come amiss, indeed I believe such would be of invaluable assistance in getting effective results. Why not a "Conservation Club" with real backbone, as

"Up to now all this little wave of new prosperity is just the result of preparations for the war in Europe (Turn to Page 15, Col. 2)

(Turn to Page 19, Col. 8)

## SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"This is the fourth time they have stood up. Why do you keep on asking them?"

**ON SALE FRIDAY!**  
**Women's and Misses' New Swagger Suits \$10.95**  
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 Fresh Creamery, 2 lbs. for..... **47c**  
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 Mutton, 25c  
 Premium Hams, 24c  
 Sliced Standard Bacon, lb., 25c; Ayshire Bacon, lb., 25c  
 Cottage Rolls, smoked, lb., 23c; Sweet Pickled, lb., 22c  
 Sliced Jellied Tongue, lb., 30c; Roast Beef, lb., 22c  
 Sliced Corned Beef, Ham, Bologna, lb.-lots..... 17c  
 Sweet Mustard, Sweet Mixed Pickles, pint..... 20c

**MEATS—AS CUT IN CASE**  
 Shoulders, 11c  
 Lamb, 11c  
 Small Roasts, 11c

Oxford Sausage, Minced Steak, Stew Beef, 2 lbs. for..... 15c  
 Legs of Lamb, whole, lb., 21c; Rib Lamb Chops, lb., 22c  
 Breasts Lamb, lb., 7c; Breast Veal, lb., 22c  
 Butts Pork, lb., 15c; Pork Steaks, lb., 15c; Chops, lb., 11c  
 Blade Roasts, lb., 9c; Cross Rib Roasts, lb., 11c  
 Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb., 15c; Rolled Rib Roasts, lb., 16c  
 Shoulder Steak, lb., 9c; Sirloin Steak, lb., 18c

**SERVICE MEATS—DELIVERED**  
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**Little Pig, 15c**  
 Sausage, lb., 15c  
 Prime Steer Beef Cut the Spencer Way  
 Rump Roasts, lb., 18c; Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb., 20c  
 Prime Ribs, short, lb., 20c; T-bone Roasts, lb., 23c  
 Steaks—Round, lb., 18c; F-bone and Sirloin, lb., 23c  
 Fillets, lb., 23c; Cutlets, lb., 23c; Liver, lb., 32c  
 Small, Firm, Grain-fed Pork  
 Fillets, lb., 25c; Loin, lb., 26c; Chops, lb., 26c  
 Shoulder or Forequarters 1934 Spring Lamb, lb., 21c

## Groceries—Cash and Carry

**Extra Values for This Week's Selling**  
 Brunswick Sardines, 4 tins..... 15c  
 Royal City Tomatoes, 2s, 2 tins..... 17c  
 Sunlight Soap (Limit 4), 2 cartons for..... 35c  
 Sair Dates, 2-lb. bag..... 13c  
 Choice White Cooking Figs, 3-lb. bag..... 25c  
 C. and B. Mushroom Soup, 2 tins..... 17c  
 Aylmer Vegetable Soup, 2 tins..... 15c  
 Poliflor Liquid Wax, pints, per tin..... 25c  
 C. and B. Prepared Mustard, per jar..... 10c  
 Lowney's Premium Unsweetened Chocolate, 1/2-lb. pkt. 15c  
 Spencer's Diamond "S" Bread Flour—  
 24-lb. sack..... 69c  
 49-lb. sack..... \$1.35  
 Five Roses, Royal Household and Purity Flour—  
 24-lb. sack..... 82c  
 49-lb. sack..... \$1.58  
 C. and B. Chutney Pickle, 12 oz. per bottle..... 19c  
 Royal Crown Soap, 9 bars for..... 25c  
 Palmolive Soap, 3 tablets for..... 14c  
 Chips and Oxoid, large pkts. for..... 18c  
 Ideal Castle Soap, per bar..... 10c  
 King of Castle Plum Jam, 4s, per tin..... 35c  
 King of Castle Loganberry Jam, 4s, per tin..... 39c  
 King of Castle Peach or Apricot Jam, 4s, per tin..... 43c  
 King of the Castle Strawberry Jam, 4s..... 40c  
 Aylmer Orange Marmalade, 2-lb. fancy jar..... 24c  
 Jameson's or B. B. Coffee, per lb..... 35c  
 Gordon Head Strawberries, 2s, squat, per tin..... 15c  
 Dr. Jackson's Lishus, Roman Meal, Bekus Puddy, per packet..... 31c  
 Horseshoe Salmon, 1/2s, per tin..... 17c  
 Sun-Era, the new cereal, 28-oz. pkt..... 23c  
 (All Wheat With the Bran and Vitamins)  
 Keiller's Bramble Jelly, 12-oz. jar..... 21c  
 Spencer's Breakfast Blend Tea (Limit 3), per lb..... 40c  
 Smedley's English Damsoms in heavy syrup, 2s, per tin, 25c  
 Aylmer Whole Green Beans, per tin..... 13c  
 Aylmer Pork and Beans, 2s, squat, 3 tins..... 18c  
 Aylmer New Pack Asparagus Tips, 10 1/2 oz., per tin, 19c

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## FLOWER SHOW AT LADYSMITH

Beautiful Display of Tulips  
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Special to The Times  
Ladysmith, May 3.—The tulip and  
spring flower show held in St. John's  
Hall here Saturday under the aus-  
pices of the Ladysmith Horticultural  
Society contained some effective dis-  
plays.

The O'Halloran Cup was won by  
James King for scoring the highest  
number of points.

The results were as follows:

**EARLY FLOWERING "TULIPS"**

Pink or rose, 3 blooms—1, D. Bry-  
ant.  
Prince of Austria, 3 blooms—1, J.  
King; 2, E. W. Forward.

Orange or yellow, 3 blooms—E. W.  
Forward.

Any color, 1 bloom—1, C. Williams;

2, J. King.

**COTTAGE TULIPS**

Caledonia, 3 blooms—1, J. King; 2,  
E. W. Forward.

Red or scarlet, globular, 3 blooms—  
1, E. W. Forward; 2, F. Hunter.

Red or scarlet, reflexed or lily-  
flowered, 3 blooms—1, T. Honeyman;

2, E. W. Forward.

Inglecombe pink, 3 blooms—1, E.  
Akenhead; 2, D. Bryant.

Pink or rose, globular, 3 blooms—1,  
J. King; 2, E. Akenhead.

Pink or rose, reflexed or lily-flow-  
ered, 3 blooms—1, J. King; 2, E.  
Akenhead.

Avia Kennicot, 3 blooms—1, T.  
Honeyman; 2, F. Hunter.

Yellow or orange, globular, 3  
blooms—1, E. Akenhead; 2, E. Aken-  
head.

Yellow or orange, reflexed or lily-  
flowered, 3 blooms—1, T. Honeyman;

2, J. King.

Vesta, 3 blooms—1, J. King; 2, F.  
Hunter.

White, globular, 3 blooms—1, T.  
Honeyman; 2, E. Akenhead.

Bicolor, globular, 3 blooms—1, J.  
King; 2, T. Honeyman.

Bicolor, reflexed or lily-flowered, 3  
blooms—1, J. Weir; 2, E. W. Forward.

Picotee, 3 blooms—1, E. Akenhead;

2, F. Hunter.

Any other color, globular, 3 blooms  
1, J. King; 2, D. Bryant.

Any color, 1 bloom—1, F.  
Hunter; 2, F. Hunter.

**DARWIN TULIPS**

Barillon, 3 blooms—1, W. Cullum;

2, T. Honeyman.

Farncombe Saunders, 3 blooms—1,  
F. Hunter; 2, T. Honeyman.

King Harold, 3 blooms—1, T.  
Honeyman; 2, J. King.

King George V, 3 blooms—1, J.  
King; 2, E. W. Forward.

Any other red or scarlet, 3 blooms—  
1, J. King; 2, F. Hunter.

Clara Butt, 3 blooms—1, W. Cul-  
lum; 2, F. Hunter.

Suzon, 3 blooms—1, J. King; 2, E.  
W. Forward.

Edme, 3 blooms—1, E. Akenhead;

2, E. W. Forward.

Any other pink or rose, 3 blooms—  
1, J. King; 2, T. Honeyman.

Rev. Ewbank, 3 blooms—1, W. Cul-  
lum; 2, J. Currie.

Wm. Copeland, 3 blooms—1, W.  
Cullum.

Any other lavender or purple, 3  
blooms—1, J. King; 2, F. Hunter.

Sultan, 3 blooms—1, F. Hunter; 2,  
J. Currie.

Zula, 3 blooms—1, J. King.

Any other dark shade, 3 bloom—  
J. King.

Le Noire, 3 blooms—1, J. King.

Pride of Haarlem, 3 blooms—1, F.  
Hunter; 2, T. Honeyman.

Geoff, 3 blooms—1, J. King; 2, F.  
Hunter.

White, 3 blooms—1, J. King.

Any other color, 3 blooms—1, T.  
Honeyman; 2, J. King.

Any other color, 1 bloom—1, J.  
King; 2, T. Honeyman.

**BREEDER TULIPS**

Louis IV, 3 blooms—1, J. King; 2,  
T. Honeyman.

Indian Chief, 3 blooms—1, F.  
Hunter; 2, J. King.

James Watt, 3 blooms—1, E. W.  
Forward; 2, J. King.

Any other red or scarlet, 3 blooms—  
1, E. W. Forward; 2, D. Bryant.

Violet or lavender, 3 blooms—1, F.  
Hunter.

Yellow, 3 blooms—1, J. King; 2, D.  
Bryant.

Purple or dark blue, 3 blooms—1,  
F. Hunter; 2, E. W. Forward.

Any other color, 3 blooms—1, F.  
Hunter; 2, J. King.

Any color, 1 bloom—1, F. Hunter;  
2, J. King.

**TULIPS—VARIOUS**

Parrot, dark colors, 3 blooms—1, T.  
Honeyman; 2, E. W. Forward.

Parrot, light colors, 3 blooms—1,  
E. W. Forward; 2, C. Williams.

Parrot, fantastic, 3 blooms—1, J.  
King; 2, F. Hunter.

Late doubles, 3 blooms—1, D. Bry-  
ant; 2, J. Currie.

Broken colors, 3 blooms—1, J.  
King; 2, J. Weir.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

Decorative vase, narcissi—1, D. Bry-  
ant; 2, T. Honeyman.

Decorative bowl, narcissi—1, F.  
Hunter.

Decorative vase, tulips—1, J. King;

2, E. W. Forward.

Decorative bowl, tulips—1, J. King;

2, J. Currie.

Decorative vase, any other bulbous  
tulips—1, J. Hartley; 2, D. Bryant.

Decorative bowl, any other bulbous  
tulips—1, T. Collinge; 2, D. Bryant.

Decorative vase, wallflowers—2, E.  
W. Forward.

Decorative bowl, wallflowers—2, D.  
Bryant.

Fanalia, bowl—1, Miss Miller; 2, E.  
W. Forward.

Polyanthus, bowl—1, D. Bryant.

Primula, bowl—1, D. Bryant.

Anemone, bowl—1, D. Bryant; 2,  
Miss Miller.

Truus Auricula—2, D. Bryant.

Perennials, three varieties—1, E. W.  
Forward; 2, J. King.

Flowering shrubs, three varieties—  
1, A. P. Glen; 2, E. W. Forward.

Flowering shrubs, one variety—1,  
A. P. Glen; 2, A. C. Walters.

Rock plants, three varieties, bowl—  
1, D. Bryant; 2, T. Collinge.

Rock plants, six varieties, bowl—  
1, D. Bryant; 2, E. W. Forward.

Alpines, three varieties, bowl—1, D.  
Bryant.

Alpines, six varieties, bowl—1, D.  
Bryant.

**BOY FACES TRIAL**

Chatham, Ont., May 3 (Canadian  
Press)—Court action faces a fifteen-  
year-old schoolboy who struck a play-  
mate with a baseball bat and broke  
both his arms. Provincial Officer J.  
Jeff of this city to-day had laid a  
charge of assault against the young-  
ster. The "tired" boy, Robert Copley,  
is in bed at home, suffering intensely  
from his injuries. Some years ago one  
of his feet was cut off by a mowing  
machine.



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## TEMPLE NOBLES GREET SEBRELL

On 50,000-Mile Pilgrimage,  
Imperial Potentate Pays  
His Visit to Victoria

Imperial Potentate John N. Sebrell  
of the Shrine was dined at the Shrine  
Temple yesterday evening. He is on  
his 50,000-mile pilgrimage of the 157  
temples of the continent, which he  
started from his home in Norfolk,  
Virginia, last August.

Most High Potentate A. W. Dawe  
of New Westminster, who is head of  
Gizeh Temple, presided at the dinner  
and headed the list of speakers who  
welcomed his imperial dignitary to  
this area.

After the dinner, the Shrine band  
gave a concert in the imperial po-  
tentate's honor, while local nobles  
were introduced to him.

Mr. Sebrell, who is city attorney of  
his home city, said he believed the  
country was back on its feet and on  
the way to definite advance.

The imperial potentate spent Tues-  
day with Nile Temple in Seattle. He  
arrived here at noon, being met at  
the C.P.R. docks by Potentate Dawe,  
Chief Rabbi F. M. Bryant, M.D.;  
Recorder E. E. Leason, Treasurer Frank  
Casselman, M.D., of Vancouver.

Following the official greetings at  
the dock, the party proceeded to the  
Empress Hotel where there were fur-  
ther ceremonies. After that they  
toured the city and district. The  
imperial potentate left at midnight  
for Vancouver on his way east.

**LEGAL RIGHTS  
ARE DEBATED**

Trades Council May Contest  
Cases of Water Being Shut  
Off in Esquimalt

Whether the city has the  
legal right to shut off the do-  
mestic water supply for house-  
holders in Esquimalt may be con-  
tested in court action by the  
legislative committee of the  
Trades and Labor Council. It was  
decided at a meeting yesterday  
evening.

This question is one which has  
been before the council for some time  
and investigations of alleged cases  
where water has been turned off  
have been carried out.

Health officials of the provincial  
government who have been consulted  
state the matter is a municipal one.  
The committee has been authorized  
to retain legal counsel and if court  
action in a test case is necessary, it  
will be decided upon at the next  
meeting.

Members of the council claim the  
city has no right to shut off the  
water without the consent of the  
property owner, who, upon refusing  
permission for such action, becomes  
responsible for payment of arrears  
and current consumption.

A complete legal report on the  
matter will be submitted to the meet-  
ing on May 16.

**JORDAN RIVER**

Mrs. A. Sjöberg, Camp Two, Jordan  
River, gave a miscellaneous shower  
April 27 in honor of Mrs. A. "Bunny"  
Walker. The color scheme was car-  
ried out in pink and mauve and the  
gifts were presented to the guest of  
honor in a decorated wagon drawn  
by the room by Harry Sjöberg. Mrs.  
Walker was the recipient of many  
useful gifts.

The invited guests were Mrs. D. I.  
Walker, Peggy and Adelaide Walker,  
Phyllis Cox, Mrs. J. Edwards (Cadboro  
Bay), Mrs. McGregor, Miss L. Maynard  
(Victoria), Mesdames A. Kirby, R. A.  
Johnson, A. Leman, F. Turcotte, W.  
Ledingham, R. G. Gordon, C. Lindner,  
S. Morton, J. D. Lines, E. Lines, L.  
Haddoch, C. Martinson, H. G. Rough.

**COMPLETE TOWN  
OF 1910 RECREATED**

Hollywood, May 3.—A complete  
city has sprung up in the San Fer-  
nando Valley, about twenty miles  
from Hollywood, during the last  
few weeks. It is a town unlike  
any others to be found in South-  
ern California, being a replica of  
a midwestern town of the 1910  
era.

Outwardly the place is complete,  
from the public square to the  
stores, office buildings and houses.  
But behind the scenes one finds  
a mass of two-by-fours support-  
ing the "fronts" which will be  
photographed.

The town has been built for Ann  
Harding's new film, "The Life of  
Vergie Winters."

## SWEET PEA FESTIVAL

Organization Completed and  
Committees Formed at  
Duncan

Special to The Times  
Duncan, May 3.—The organization  
meeting of the 1934 Sweet Pea Festi-  
val committee was held in the Black  
Cat restaurant Monday evening, when  
officers and committees were elected  
as follows: Honorary president, C. H.  
Dick, M.P.; Hugh Savage, M.P.P.;  
Mayor H. F. Prevost and Reeve G. A.  
Tudall; honorary vice-presidents, H.  
McIvor, representing Duncan Rotary  
Club; H. D. Evans, Duncan Chamber  
of Commerce; president, N. E. Sud-  
daby; advertising, J. B. Creighton and  
G. G. Bales; finance, K. F. Duncan  
and C. W. O'Neill; street decorating,  
Mrs. James Greig, Miss B. Jenkins  
and G. W. Brookbank; sports, B. Ken-  
nett and W. Whidden; flower show,  
R. Crossland and F. E. Carbery; dance,  
J. Chaster and A. Philbrook; street  
lighting, A. M. Dirom and H. B. Vogel;  
sweet pea booths, F. B. Carbery and  
W. Cornwell; store window displays,  
S. R. Kirkham and J. James; trans-  
portation, N. Westwood; children's  
sports and festival queen, N. E. Sud-  
daby, H. F. Prevost and C. W. O'Neill;  
gymnastics, G. G. Bales; secretary, A.  
H. Peterson. These committees will  
go ahead with arrangements and re-  
port back.

**Wage Inspectors  
Given Authority**

Machinery by which the provincial  
government will strengthen its hand  
in dealing with the new wage and  
labor laws passed at the last session  
of the B.C. Legislature was provided  
by the cabinet this week.

All inspectors of the Department of  
Labor, the factories inspector and his  
assistant and the deputy minister of  
labor have been empowered to take  
affidavits and affirmations. These  
officials are thus equipped with the  
authority to receive sworn informa-  
tion relative to payrolls, working con-  
ditions and similar circumstances  
necessary to enforce the new regu-  
lations.

**SERVANTS TO  
RECEIVE AID**

Trades Council Sponsors  
Meeting of Domestic Help  
to Better Wage Situation

Investigation of working con-  
ditions for all domestic help in  
Victoria was ordered by the  
Trades and Labor Council yester-  
day evening.

The organization will sponsor a  
meeting in the Labor Hall next Tues-  
day evening at 8 o'clock for domestic  
servants, social service workers and  
others interested, when full data on  
cases of alleged unfair treatment will  
be obtained for presentation to the  
Minister of Labor.

The legislative committee of the  
council has had the question of these  
working conditions under considera-  
tion for some time and recently in-  
terviewed the minister regarding  
them. It was informed that full data  
concerning specific cases should be  
presented and action by the depart-  
ment would follow.

It was alleged there were between  
200 and 300 servants in the city  
working on salaries ranging from \$5  
to \$10 a month. It was pointed out  
domestic help did not come within  
the scope of the Minimum Wage Act  
and consequently required special  
legislation.

The hope was expressed that suf-  
ficient information will be obtained  
by the committee to secure the nec-  
essary legislation being introduced by  
the government.

Toronto, May 3 (Canadian Press)—  
A warrant for the arrest of W. L. Pat-  
terson, negro secretary of the Ameri-  
can Defence League, had been issued  
to-day by the federal Immigration  
Department. It is alleged Patterson  
entered the country illegally when he  
came here Tuesday to address a May  
Day gathering.

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foot ..... \$2.95

—Draperies, Second Floor

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and green. Sizes 14 to 42.  
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—Mantles, Main Floor



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tical, too, because they don't crush.  
Corduroy velvet in white, gold, tango,  
navy or grey. Sizes 16,  
18 and 20. A pair ..... \$3.95

—Sports Wear, First Floor

## Suggestions for Camp and Summer Cottage

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ings, for couch throws, etc. Size  
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tractive colorings on sand grounds  
Size 70x90 inches, each ..... \$1.49

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Size 62x84 inches ..... \$1.69

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Size 70x90 inches, a pair, \$2.00  
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# Social And Club Interests

## Kirkham's Money-savers

First-of-the-month Specials—Stock Up at These Prices

Royal City Fancy Apricots, in heavy syrup, 2 1/2 lbs. tin, 25¢	Ogilvie Rolled Oats, 6-lb. sacks, 29¢
Ensign Red Plums, for table use, 2s. 2s. 2s. 19¢	Fresh Rolled Wheat, 5 lbs., 25¢
Empress Pure Jam, 4-lb. tin, 49¢	Wheat Hearts, 5-lb. sack, 25¢
Shirriff's Pineapple Marmalade, 12-oz. jars, 15¢	Five Roses Flour, 7-lb. sacks, 25¢
Aylmer Golden Bantam Corn, 2 tins for, 27¢	Dutch Cocoa, bulk, lb., 11¢
	Reception Island Honey, 4-lb. tins, 55¢
	Empress Baking Powder, 12-oz. tin, 19¢

Choice Quality Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, regular 60¢, lb., 45¢	Reception Fresh Ground Coffee, regular 40¢, lb., 33¢
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Heinz Prepared Spaghetti, regular 15¢ tins, 2 for, 25¢	Australian Choice Dried Apricots, 2 lbs., 33¢
Heinz Pure White Vinegar, regular 85¢ gal., for, 68¢	Jell-O, vora. 2 for, 13¢
Osprey Choice B.C. Crabmeat, 20¢	Richard's English Carbolic Soap, 5 cakes for, 25¢
Jaeger Finest Norwegian Sardines, 2 tins for, 19¢	Classic Cleanser, 2 for, 15¢
Heinz Tomato Soup, 3 tins 25¢	Powdered Borax, lb., 10¢
Pure Maple Syrup, bottle, 19¢	Snowflake Soft White Toilet Tissue, 3 rolls for, 25¢

Christie's Assorted Sandwich Biscuits, regular 35¢ lb., 25¢	I.B.C. Fresh Fig Bars, special, 2 lbs. for, 27¢
	Christie's Arrowroot Biscuits, per lb., 30¢
	Coconut Crisp Cookies, 1-lb. pkts., per pkt., 25¢
	Sweet Navel Oranges, doz., 25¢, 29¢ and, 35¢
	Sunkist 1, 17¢
	Fine Grapefruit, 5 for, 19¢
	and 4 for, 1¢
	Fresh Berries, 2 lbs. 25¢
	Fresh Coconut, each, 5¢
	Fine Red Rhubarb, 8 lbs. 25¢
	Ripe Cantaloupes, each, 20¢
	Fine Local Netted Gem Potatoes, 15 lbs. 25¢
	Sack, \$1.29
	Spring Cabbage, each, 5¢
	Fresh Spinach, lb., 5¢
	Local Head Lettuce, each, 10¢ and, 5¢

Fresh Toasted Marshmallows, regular 35¢ lb., for, 25¢	Rochon's Peanut Brittle, regular 35¢ lb., for, 20¢
	Jumbo Jelly Beans, regular 35¢ lb., for, 23¢
	Hothouse Tomatoes, lb., 25¢
	Fresh Cucumbers, and, 15¢
	New Dromedary Dates, pkt., 15¢
	Fresh Strawberries, To-day, doz., 19¢
	Sweet Valencia Oranges, doz., 19¢
	Fresh Local Asparagus, lb., 15¢
	Fresh Green Peas, 2 lbs. 25¢
	Fresh Radishes and Green Onions, 2 for, 5¢
	New Local Potatoes, 2 lbs., 25¢

NEW LOW PRICES ON BUTTER—Cash and Carry	Choice Alberta Butter, lb., 24¢; 3 lbs., 70¢
	Local New Grass Butter—none better—lb., 26¢; 3 lbs., 75¢

Cooket, the ideal shortening, 2 lbs., 25¢	S.P. Cottage Rolls, lb., 22¢
Pure Lard, 2 lbs., 25¢	Gainer's Superior Hams—Fry pan free with each Ham, per lb., 27¢
Mild Cheese, lb., 18¢	Gainer's Side Bacon, lb., 25¢
Matured Cheese, lb., 28¢	Gainer's Back Bacon, lb., 30¢
Imported Roquefort, lb., 48¢	Fletcher's No. 1 Side Bacon, 1 lb., 30¢
Fresh Cottage Cheese, lb., 15¢	
Beef Dripping, 3 lbs., 25¢	
Roast Veal, lb., 38¢	Cooked Corned Beef, lb., 15¢
Roast Pork, lb., 38¢	Head Cheese, lb., 20¢
Boiled Ham, lb., 38¢	Baked Veal Loaf, lb., 20¢

SPECIAL PRICES ON MEATS DELIVERED	Choice Island Spring Lamb
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GRAIN-FED PORK—Shoulders, lb., 13¢	CHOICE QUALITY BEEF—Prime Ribs, cut short, lb., 17¢
Loin, lb., 22¢	T-bone Roasts, lb., 20¢
Leg, lb., 22¢	Rolls Roasts, lb., 15¢
Pure Pork Sausages, 2 lbs., 35¢	Rump and Tip, lb., 15¢
	Choice Turkeys, lb., 22¢
	Fowl, lb., 19¢
	Dressed Rabbits, 25¢
	Sweetbreads, lb., 25¢
	Fresh Filleted Cod, lb., 10¢
	Cod, piece or sliced, lb., 8¢
	Fresh Halibut, lb., 15¢
	Red Spring Salmon, lb., 22¢

CHOICE VEAL	Beef Pot Roasts, lb., 8c
Shoulders, lb., 10c	Boiling Beef, lb., 7c
Legs and Rumps, lb., 15c	Mixed, 3 lbs., 25c
1 lb. Veal, 1/4 lb. Kidney, 15c	Choice Fowl, lb., 16c
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## Groceteria Specials

Empress Orange Marmalade, 2-lb. jar for, 25¢	Vi-Tone, 1-lb. tins, 45¢
Fraser Valley Pure Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tin, 44¢	Choice White Sultana Raisins, 2 lbs., 23¢
1 tin Jamoson's Baking Powder, 3-oz. Chef Vanilla, 25¢	Shelled Walnuts, large sweet pieces, per lb., 23¢
Morne's Double Cream Custard Powder, 1-lb. tin, 29¢	Palmolive Soap, 5 for, 25¢
Salada Tea, (limit 2 lbs.), lb., 45¢	Owl Matches, 300—2 boxes for, 25¢
Discho Sliced Pineapple, 2 large tins for, 17¢	Fresh Ground Coffee, lb., 23¢
Granham's Lime Juice, Cordial, large bottle, 28¢	Quaker Puffed Wheat, pkg., 11¢
Australian Pastry Flour, 10 lbs., 25¢	Quaker Puffed Rice, pkg., 14¢
Ormond's Sodas, 10 lbs., 18¢	
1 tin Gold Medal Malt, 3 lbs. Demerara Sugar, 1 pkt. Hops and Yeast Cake, for, \$1.35	

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Miss Alice Munroe is spending a few days in Vancouver as the houseguest of Mrs. William Day.

Commander J. C. Hibbard has been transferred from Esquimalt Naval Barracks to Halifax and will be joined later by Mrs. Hibbard.

Mrs. J. W. Lennox entertained a few guests at the tea hour this afternoon at her home on Rockland Avenue.

Mrs. C. D. Donald was hostess at the tea hour this afternoon at her home on Constance Avenue, Esquimalt, when she entertained a few guests.

Captain R. L. Mitchell, who has been transferred from Winnipeg to Victoria, has arrived here accompanied by Mrs. Mitchell and is a guest at the James Bay Hotel.

Mrs. Miriam Green Ell of Winnipeg, well-known newspaper woman and writer on agricultural subjects, is a visitor in the city for a few days, and is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles George Grimm (nee Steele), who have been spending their honeymoon in the south, left California to-day for their home in Victoria and will arrive here on Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. P. A. C. Douglas have removed from Central Avenue to "Mount Adelaide," Esquimalt, where they will reside during the absence of Mrs. Douglas's mother, Mrs. J. S. H. Matson, in England.

In honor of Miss Helen Campbell, a popular bride-elect, Miss Eleanor Heisterman was hostess at a luncheon party to-day at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Heisterman, St. Charles Street.

Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Dennett of North Devon will arrive from England on Saturday to spend the summer months here as the guests of Mrs. Dennett's sister, Miss Lena Mitchell, superintendent of nursing at the Jubilee Hospital.

Mrs. F. M. MacPherson of "Kingscrag," Rockland Avenue, left this afternoon for the mainland to spend the week-end in New Westminster as the guest of the Misses Janet and Hyslop Gray. Before returning to her home in Victoria, Mrs. MacPherson will visit with friends in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Whiting, Sidney, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Edith, to Mr. Ralph Thompson Moore, only son of Mrs. E. Moore and the late Mr. A. E. Moore, Calgary, Alberta. The wedding will take place at Saint Andrew's Church, Sidney, on May 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger of Banff, who have been spending the past three months at the Glenisland Hotel, will leave to-day with their son and daughter-in-law, en route by motor to Banff. Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Rooper, the former Joan Mapson, have been visiting Ven. Archdeacon and Mrs. A. J. B. Dewdney at Royal Oak for a few days.

Bishop Doull and Mrs. Doull arrived at Quebec last week-end by the Duchesse of Atholl from England on a visit to relatives in Montreal and were accompanied by their daughter, Miss Peggy Doull. The Right Rev. A. J. Doull, who is the former Bishop of Kootenai, came to Canada from England to recuperate after his recent serious illness.

Mrs. Benning Sr. of Montreal, who has been visiting in Victoria with Mrs. J. W. Benning, Rockland Avenue, left yesterday afternoon for the mainland on her return to her home in the east. Mrs. Charles Allen of Montreal, who has been also the guest of Mrs. Benning and of her sister, Mrs. M. E. Driscoll, left yesterday for her home in Quebec.

In keeping with the special "Calceolaria and Cineraria" tea at the Empress Hotel on Saturday, the management will present an augmented orchestra which will play from 9.30 to 5.30 a specially selected programme of suitable music. The selections will include the following: "Blossom Time" (Romberg), "Miss Springtime" (Kalmann), "Maytime" (Romberg), "Orange Blossoms" (Herbert), "Valse Des Fleurs" (Tschalkowsky), "Minnetonka" (Laurance), "Cherry Blossoms" (Prinz), "Narcissus" (Nevin), and also the popular favorites of to-day. The orchestra will be under the direction of William F. Tickle.

A post-nuptial reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Webb, West Road, Saanich, recently, in honor of their elder son, W. A. Webb and his bride, formerly Jean Copeland of Ladysmith, V.I., who were married in Vancouver Thursday last. The reception rooms were decorated with masses of white lilacs and pink tulips. The bride and groom stood beneath a white wedding bell suspended from an arch to receive their guests, who later enjoyed a dainty buffet supper served from a prettily decorated table, in the centre of which stood the handsome three-tier wedding cake. The young couple will reside in Victoria.

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Miss Kathleen Agnew was hostess at a small dinner party at her home, "Schuhum," Rockland Avenue, yesterday evening.

## A MAY DAY BRIDE



Mrs. Victor F. J. Casanave, formerly Miss Joyce Merrilees Strachan, whose marriage took place at Our Lady of Lourdes Church on Tuesday evening, May 1.

## SAY DICTATOR IS ADORABLE

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MONARCHY POSSIBLE

It is always possible that the monarchy may be restored in Germany, in the opinion of Miss Welsensborn, but she is sure the ex-Kaiser will never be permitted to return to the throne.

The people generally thought the restoration of the monarchy was in the offing when Chancellor Hitler took over the reins of office, but events have proved that he had different ideas. If monarchical government is again instituted in Germany it will be some younger member of the Hohenzollern family who will be chosen, in the opinion of the visitor.

PARITY OF ARMAMENTS

Touching upon the subjects of armaments, which is the dominant topic in the world today, Miss Welsensborn declared that Germany had no desire to rearm. All that was asked was parity with the other European powers. She thought France was much to blame for the widespread element of suspicion which blanketed Europe. The German Chancellor would like to see Europe as one happy family.

There is a growing friendly feeling in Germany towards Great Britain, whose statesmen, it is recognized, are striving to iron out the European tangle and maintain peace among the nations, she said.

Miss Welsensborn came out to Canada to visit her two brothers who are farming in Northern Saskatchewan.

She says her trip through Canada has been a happy experience.

## YOUTH GIVEN WORK

Before the advent of Hitler the youth of Germany had no work to do and were drifting towards revolution, but everything has been changed within the last year.

Work has been provided for those who previously were dependent and on the border of starvation. The people of Germany are now happy and contented with signs of returning prosperity. It is all so wonderful and full credit is given to Hitler for bringing it about.

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## PREPARE FOR CONVENTION

Catholic Women's League Busy With National Gathering Plans For June

The part to be taken by Victoria Subdivision Catholic Women's League in the national convention to be held at the Empress Hotel from June 25 to 29 was one of the principal matters under discussion at the May meeting of the Victoria Subdivision yesterday evening, the president, Mrs. W. C. McManus, presiding. Miss Harriet O'Brien, first vice-president of the diocesan board, was also present, and gave an interesting account of some of the arrangements underway.

Correspondence included a letter from Rev. Father C. E. Evans thanking the subdivision for their gift to St. Louis College of the returns from the afternoon and evening bridge party. Mrs. O'Brien, corresponding secretary, was instructed to send Bishop Murray the sympathy of the membership in his illness and their best wishes for his complete and speedy recovery. Rev. Father Evans, who is leaving in a few days for a sojourn of some months at Campbell River, is also receiving a unanimous tribute of thanks for his unflinching kindness during his pastorate at the cathedral, with the hope of more robust health to continue his duties there later in the season.

Reports for hospital visiting were received from Mrs. Grant who, with Mrs. Bingham, visited St. Joseph's, Mrs. Ross's Home, Vernon Villa, and the Old Ladies' Home, and who will visit the Jubilee for the coming month. Mrs. Mahoney reported for the Jubilee visiting last month, and Mrs. Porter and Miss McKay will visit St. Joseph's Hospital this month. New members welcomed to the meeting were Mrs. Heather, Miss Baines and Miss Smith.

Miss E. O'Brien accepted the co-sponsorship of a literature committee and will be assisted by Mrs. Pemberton and Mrs. Cummerford in securing and distributing magazines and papers to supply the missions, hospitals and the Mental Home. The president thanked Mrs. M. O'Neill and Mrs. Blair Reid, the conveners of the very successful At Home, also the conveners of the luncheon and bridge at the Hudson's Bay. Miss Harriet O'Brien announced on behalf of the Diocesan Board a similar luncheon on June 4 at the Hudson's Bay. Mesdames O'Neill, H. Sealing, George Fraser, and J. D. Kinsinger were thanked for their contribution as representatives of Victoria Subdivision by taking charge of the successful home cooking stall at the St. Ann's Convent bazaar.

Mrs. Harry Hartnell, May Street, will be hostess to the subdivision on Thursday, May 17, at the annual membership tea, to which each member is asked to bring a friend as a new member. Mrs. M. E. O'Neill will be in charge of tickets. Mrs. G. Ross, treasurer for the afternoon, and Mrs. C. H. Reid, secretary, will be in charge of the tea arrangements. Mrs. Porter was appointed convener of the National C.W.L. magazine. The Canadian League will be assisted by Miss M. Clay in the distribution. The services of Mrs. Hurst retiring convener, have been greatly appreciated. The forthcoming tag day in aid of St. Joseph's Hospital was announced for Saturday, and Mrs. McManus as tag convener reported the success of the tag for women's work room, in which the subdivision had taken part.

## WOMEN OF INDIA SEEK FRANCHISE

Canadian Press

Lahore, India, May 3.—Pressed to a division the Punjab council rejected a resolution that disqualification for registration on electoral rolls of municipalities and district boards should be removed in respect of women, and they should be allowed to stand as candidates for those bodies. There was a lively discussion on the motion, which was moved by Shrimati Lekhwal Jain, a leader in the movement for rights for the women of India.

The minister for local self-government pointed out that the municipalities were empowered to remove the sex disqualification by adopting a resolution to that effect. He stated that if women were enfranchised, one community would be benefited while the other one, namely the Muslims, would not have the advantage, as the women of the Muslim community might not go to that polling booth as freely as those of the other community.

The minister expressed the sympathy of the government with the resolution.

Rummage Sale.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the United Commercial Travellers will hold a rummage sale Saturday morning, May 5, on Johnson Street, next to Shotbolt's drug store. The doors will open at 10 o'clock.

Victoria West W.M.S.—Mrs. L. A. Young presided at the well-attended meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Victoria West United Church, held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Rees. The devotional period of singing, prayer, scripture reading with helpful suggestions was led by Mrs. Guy, after which the minutes of the previous meeting were received as read. The treasurer's report was adopted. A letter from Mrs. Deaville was read by Miss S. Beattie. Satisfaction was expressed at the quality of goods procured to be forwarded as supplies for location. Suggestions for a tea to be held in September were discussed favorably. By the kind invitation of Mrs. Frank Rees, the June meeting will be held at her home. Comprehensive and interesting reports of recent Presbyterian were given by Miss M. Beattie and Mrs. H. Watson, the latter of which was read by Mrs. Guy in the absence of Mrs. Watson. Mrs. M. Beattie replied for the Watch Tower with an item from Africa. After singing of a hymn, Mrs. Perry, from the Study Book, gave an impressive resume of the physical needs of China. The concluding hymn and prayer were followed by the usual enjoyable social time with refreshments served by Mrs. Rees.

## SCORED SUCCESS IN "H.M.S. PINAFORE"



Miss Margaret Lennox, who sang and acted with much charm in the leading role of Josephine in "H.M.S. Pinafore," produced by the Eurydice Art Club at the Empire Theatre last week. In response to many requests this delightful entertainment will be repeated at the Shrine Auditorium on Monday evening, May 7, at 8.15 o'clock.

## PIONEER HAS BUILT HOME

Lonely Woman Settler of Seventy Completes Big Task

Canadian Press  
North Battleford, Sask., May 3.—Mrs. Thirza Simmonds, who celebrated her seventieth birthday by taking a holiday in the city, has more manly attributes to her credit than the most modern flapper. In addition to bearing brush land for ploughing she has found time to rebuild her home.

Alone on her farm fifty miles north of here her dexterity with axe, hammer and saw enabled her to clear thirty-three acres of brush land ready for crop and remodel the farm home.

Her latest achievement was the lathing and plastering of the newly-repaired home with a mixture of her own invention. Unable to secure laths she plucked tiny willow twigs sufficient to completely cover the walls. The task occupied the summer months of 1932.

For plaster she unearthed a clay ravine. Quantities of this she carried to the house and applied over the twigs laths. After the rough clay had dried she applied a smoother solution, made from the same clay, plus sand and chaff from the bottom of the straw pile. A little paint supplied the color scheme suitable to the room.

Mrs. Simmonds came to Canada from Edinburgh in 1920. She has worked the farm alone since her son left home five years ago. Asked how she learned to use a saw and make plaster, she remarked, simply, "It is strange what one can do when one really has to."

## Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

### CHILD'S SAFETY IS MOTHER'S RESPONSIBILITY

In the spring children may spend countless hours in the warm, fresh air, absorbing the wealth of glorious sunshine which they have been too long denied.

### WHAT CAN MOTHER DO?

But allowing the young child to run wildly in the streets, incurring the very real danger of accident, is a situation that no mother faces with equanimity. Yet she argues that she has her work to do and cannot spend her time watching her agile offspring. Her only other recourse is to fill his ear with warnings, cautions and threats and then turn him loose to look out for himself.

This is the usual problem so well stated by Mrs. E. B. S. "I have only one son, three and one-half years of age. What shall I do about letting him play outdoors? I fully realize the need for fresh air and for contact with other children. But he is always in the street. It is a busy street and I cannot feel about him."

"Every day when I let him out, I talk to him about staying at home. Within fifteen minutes I look for him and find he is gone. The other children are evidently allowed to run wild. It is difficult for my youngster to understand why others can do what he cannot. He does all my own work, and it is impossible for me to be out with him all of the time. I have talked to him, I have brought him in, and I have spanked him, which I consider justifiable. He is precious to me and I can't decide what to do."

You cannot load the responsibility for his own safety upon the shoulders of a child of three and one-half years and then punish him for not being it. Get your values straight. Which is more important—the child's health and safety or your housework? Take some work in your hand and sit outdoors and watch him for an hour morning and afternoon. At other times pen him up, or keep him on the porch, or have some older child to watch him.

When you go walking with him, give him constant illustrations of how carefully you look both ways before crossing the street. Keep saying, "Children must always play on the sidewalk. But don't make the mistake of making him the guardian of his safety. That is still your duty and responsibility. You can't shirk it, and then spank the child for his failure."

To-morrow: "Motherhood Brings Both Worry and Joy."

Daughters of St. George.—The regular business meeting of the Victoria Lodge No. 83, Daughters of St. George, was held in the S.O.E. Hall yesterday evening. Worthy President Sister A. Curney in the chair. Seven new members were received into the order. Visiting sisters from Princess Patricia Lodge No. 238 were welcomed by the president, Sister H. Penketh gave a splendid report on the rummage sale held recently, and the committee was given a hearty vote of thanks for their good work, also a vote of thanks was extended to Sister Quinn and her committee for the capable way they convened the banquet on St. George's Day. The next social meeting will be held May 18, when election of officers will take place. It was decided to hold a card game and dance after the next meeting. After the session was over, refreshments were served by Sister A. Harris and Sister M. Haut.

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## WANTS WOMEN POLITICIANS

Speaker Urges More Equal Representation in Party Councils

Canadian Press

Toronto, May 3.—Verbal bouquets and prominent places on "head-table lists" are accorded to a matter of course by the men of the party, and will never get you any place, members of the Ontario Women's Liberal Association learned when Miss A. D. L. Robinson of Walkerville, addressed a "dose of home truths." Fifteen speakers at the Liberal conference at Port Hope last summer, and only one woman, Miss Robinson reminded her audience: "Yet year after year you have given the places of honor at your convention to men speakers, and what has it got you?—nothing." She cited other conferences "of vital importance to both men and women," and summed them up, dramatically—thus: "Men, men, men—and not a woman as far as the eye could see."

"The British woman has her foot firmly in the crack," she said, "but the Canadian woman has not had a peck yet." Miss Robinson was applauded for her reference to "the country to the south of us," and the recognition given to its women.

"We must insist on more equal representation in the councils of our party—which we assuredly have not in our parliament. And why not more women in the Canadian Senate?"

## ACTOR TO PAY BIG ALIMONY

Associated Press

Los Angeles, May 3.—The Los Angeles Examiner says a property settlement has been made between John Gilbert, screen actor, and his estranged wife, Virginia Bruce, preparatory to filing of divorce papers by Miss Bruce, the actor's fourth wife.

Under the settlement, it was said, Miss Bruce will receive property valued in excess of \$50,000, \$400 monthly for three years for the care of their child, nine-months-old Susan Ann, whose custody is given the mother.

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9:00—Parade of the Provinces (CBC).  
9:15—Concert Recital (CBC).  
9:30—Sunny Skies (CBC).  
9:45—Canadian Press News and Weather Reports (CBC).  
10:00—Maurice McMeekin's Orchestra (CBC).  
10:15—St. John's Ambulance Association.  
10:30—Over the Bitter Sea (CBC).  
10:45—Mr. and Mrs. Comedy sketch.  
11:00—Bill Lader's Piano Musings.  
11:15—Concert Orchestra and Soloist.

**CJOR, VANCOUVER**  
To-night  
8:30—Don Pedro.  
8:45—Stock Quotations.  
8:55—News Broadcast.  
9:00—Federated Council of Youth.  
9:15—Voice of Progress.  
9:30—Canadian Goodwill Programme.  
9:45—Institute of the Blind Programme.  
10:00—Red Betty and his Hawaiians.  
10:15—Caroline Corbush.

**CRWX, VANCOUVER**  
To-night  
8:30—Dad's Smiling Billy Blinckhorn.  
8:45—Society.  
8:55—Stock Quotations.  
9:00—Evan Davis, classical piano.  
9:15—Famous Players.  
9:30—Market Service.  
9:45—The Happy Family.  
10:00—The Jukebox Quintette.  
10:15—Ole Olson and his Orchestra.  
10:30—Olive Parry, soprano.  
10:45—Sandy DeSantis and his Violins.

**CFCT, VICTORIA**  
To-night  
8:30—Radio News.  
8:45—The Sunshine Parade.  
8:55—C.P.R. Programme and His Radio Gym Class.  
9:00—Griff Morris and his Radio Gym Class.  
9:15—Anita Carolyn Rouse, dietitian.  
9:30—Colonist News Flashes.  
9:45—Birthdays Party.  
10:00—Empire Programme.  
10:15—Sun Down.  
10:30—Andy McNaughton, pianist.  
10:45—Professor Mobius.  
11:00—Colonist News Flashes.

**KVI, TACOMA**  
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To-morrow  
8:00—Exercise and Applause.  
8:15—Morning Reveries.  
8:30—Vivienne Varsopoulos.  
8:45—The Magic Hour.  
9:00—Words and Music.  
9:15—National Farm and Home Hour.  
9:30—Clef Drelling.  
9:45—Woman's Magazine of the Air.  
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## HEADLINERS ON RADIO TO-NIGHT

5:30—Fred Warner will introduce for the first time on the air "Night in the Desert," latest tune by Billy Hill, who wrote "The Last Round-up"—KOL, KVI, KSL.

6:00—"The Parade of the Provinces" will again be on the air from Montreal over the CBC system.—CBCV.

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## Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Make Children Stand on Own Feet if You Want To Be of Service to Them, Advises Dorothy Dix. Husband Who Is Jealous of Wife's Employer

DEAR MISS DIX—I am a widow with a very limited income. My daughter, with her children and an idle husband are living with me and while she helps a little financially the greater part of the expense of her family is mine. I can't afford to have her husband go off for some pleasure. The husband does not even look for a job. I am troubled not only for myself but for my daughter. Should I force them to get out and support themselves, or keep on using my limited funds to help them until my money is all gone? Would the responsibility of being on her own help her to realize the uncertain future? I do not know what to do.

A WORRIED MOTHER.

Answer—Your daughter's salvation and that of her family depends upon your forcing her out of the home nest. As long as you feed and shelter her and her brood they will be grating upon you, for it is far easier and pleasanter to let mother do it than it is to do it herself.

But when they have to shift for themselves or starve, you will be surprised to find how capable they are, and how many talents they possess that you suspected of having. If anything will galvanize your lazy son-in-law into action and make him hustle out and try to find work, it will be having the responsibility of his family thrown on his shoulders, instead of being borne by mother-in-law. There are not many men such poor creatures that they would rather see their wives and children starve than work for them.

Of course, every mother looks upon her children as helpless babies, no matter how old they get. She never sees even a six-foot son cross the street without, in her heart, wanting to take him by the hand and lead him safely over and keep him from being run over by automobiles, and this instinctive mother feeling makes it almost impossible for her to deal rationally with her children.

She may know that they should stand on their own feet and be independent, that they should go to work and support themselves instead of sponging on her, but she lacks the nerve to make them do it. She cannot shut her door on them. She cannot make them face the realities. She has just got to soften the blow for them because in her heart they are still just little children that she has to take care of.

And that is why there are so many big, husky, lazy loafers who are too temperamental to do any ordinary labor and never succeed in finding the easy job which they are looking for, and who are letting their poor mothers support them, literally taking the bread out of their mouths. If they had to work they would do it, but what is the use in bothering about it as long as they have three square meals a day and a comfortable place to live in?

What mothers need more than anything else in the world is enough enlightened selfishness to enable them to protect themselves against their children. They need it for their own sakes because the children to whom mother has always sacrificed herself never appreciate what she does for them. They do not even respect her, because she has made herself nothing but a servant for them. They take all that she can give and when that is gone they have no further use for her.

Did you ever see the mother who has gone shabby that her daughters might have finer; who has made callouses on her own hands working so that her daughters might keep their hands soft and manicured, whose girls ever petted her and made much of her and were proud to show her to their friends? You never do. But you ever see a mother who has turned over every cent of her property to help her son get a start in business who was cherished by him in her old age? It never happens. I have seen old mothers who were given the worst room and made to feel that they were unwelcome interlopers. In the very house that their money had paid for.

When a woman is old her best friend is her pocketbook. Even her children treat her with more affection and consideration if she is financially independent of them, and so the woman is foolish who lets her able-bodied children sponge on her and eat her out of house and home.

And the mother does her children an incalculable wrong who does not teach them to be self-respecting and independent, and that it is a shameful thing for the young and strong to be willing to be leeches who suck their own mothers' life blood.

DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR MISS DIX—I have been married for nine years and we have one child. For the last year I have not been able to get regular work and some months ago my wife obtained a position. I do not mistrust my wife, but a few things have caused me to wonder about the relationship between her and her employer. Apropos of nothing else she is always asserting that there is nothing between her and him. He has several times called at the house and when he comes she is literally beside herself with delight. Her voice has a different ring in it. Her eyes dance with a new light. After his departure she is morose and sullen. When he is away from the city on a business trip she mopes around. When he returns she is gay and only then is she affectionate toward me. Sometimes for two or three days at a time she barely speaks to me. I love my wife dearly and I do not let her take that for granted. To me she is the most charming and lovely woman in the world and I want her for myself. Do you think I have any grounds for wondering at her conduct?

Answer—Perhaps you are jealous and that makes you imagine things that are not really true. It is easy for a green-eyed husband to see significance in looks and moods that are, in reality, perfectly normal and casual and mean nothing, except perhaps that one is feeling gay and light-hearted one day and depressed and gloomy the next.

Just how little importance is to be attached to an expression on a face is brought home to you when you listen to the comments of a number of people on a portrait. One beholder will say: "How sweet and innocent that face!" Another will exclaim about how wonderfully the artist has caught that look of deep, dark devilry. Even critics have never been able to agree on what Mona Lisa's face indicates.

Again, take into consideration the fact that your wife is going through the excitement of a new experience in going to work, and that her exuberance may be part of the thrill of going down town every day to business and of being shut up in her home; of having stimulating contacts with the outside world, of the excitement of having her pay envelope and the exhilaration of feeling for the first time that she is capable of standing on her own feet and making her own living.

That is all very wonderful and uplifting to the domestic woman, and if it turns her head a bit and makes her idealize her employer as part of the glamorous adventure, do not take it too seriously. She gets what she gets over it in a little while and find that work in an office is just as hard as work in a kitchen, and pounding a typewriter as dull drudgery as washing dishes.

But if you are going to be jealous, get your wife to give up her job. No money she earns can pay for wrecking your marriage, and that you will surely do if you are suspicious of her and always watching her.

DOROTHY DIX.

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## HOROSCOPE

The Stars Indicate, Sun Do Not Compel. MAY 4, 1934. According to astrology this is an important day in your life. It is a time to complete business ventures and to prepare for future projects. While this configuration prevails men and women who are in high place should be particularly careful of their finances. There may be a tendency to ignore persons less fortunate than themselves.

The stars warn that human nature may be sternly rebuked for its desire to reverse and hard experiences properly may cause history to repeat itself through those who rule the destinies of the world. Child welfare and education will focus more and more attention. It is predicted, owing to the general realization that the power of the nation rests in the hands of the people, that oil and oil interests continue under a planetary government, this indicates a stability and lack of wise control of great natural resources.

Much travel on the high seas is forecast for the summer. Unusual experiences, including accidents to ships, are predicted. Owing to last month's conjunction of Mars and Uranus, the West Indies, certain southern states and California may suffer from severe winds, unusual storms and sharp earthquakes.

Accidents in air travel may be numerous, owing to the adverse rule of the stars.

And special care should be exercised by aviators. Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of advancement and progress. They should not spend their money too freely.

Children born on this day probably will be endowed with unusual talents. The subjects of this sign or of Taurus usually are individual and aggressive. Richard Henry, poet, was born on this day, 1844. Others who have celebrated it as a birthday include Frederick E. Wood, British landscape painter, 1824; Amos Walker, political economist, 1790; Ruben A. Gould, New England author, 1822.

## "Y" MEMBERSHIP TEASUCCESS

Delightful Affair Held Yesterday Afternoon Reveals Interest in Work

That the work of the Young Women's Christian Association is gaining for it the interest of an ever-growing circle of friends, was evident at the annual membership tea held yesterday afternoon, when a large number of members and friends took advantage of the opportunity to express their interest in practical fashion. Mrs. Norma Macdonald, the convener of the tea, welcomed the guests, and was assisted by Mrs. John Baxter, first vice-president.

Guests were received in the main lounge, which was beautifully decorated by Mrs. R. H. Green, Mrs. C. F. Earle, Mrs. N. Cook and Miss Helen Forman, with masses of pink hawthorn, fragrant lilac and tulips, arranged in bowls. On the tea table a china bowl filled with pink tulips, London pride, pyrethrum, scillas and mallow leaves, and green and yellow tapers in silver candlesticks, formed the artistic decoration.

Mrs. F. M. Macpherson, Mrs. Gordon Sloan, Mrs. Herbert Ancomb and Mrs. W. G. Wilson presided at the tea-table, and assisted in serving were Mrs. R. H. Green, Mrs. Earle, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. W. N. Gunning, Miss Forman and the Misses Allen and Muriel Aylard. Mrs. C. H. Baines, in charge of the receipt of new memberships and membership renewals, Miss Mabel Blackley, general secretary, assisted in welcoming the guests.

A display of charming wood carving and pottery, in charge of Mrs. Mary Cook, Mrs. Green, and Mrs. Earle, a mirror frame, carved panels, etc., made by the pupils of the wood-carving class at the Y.W.C.A. drew much commendation from the on-lookers. In the pottery collection were glazed bowls, candlesticks and vases, which were much admired.

Tea at Uplands Home Enjoyable

Outstanding success attended the silver tea given yesterday afternoon at "Grace Manor," the charming home of Mrs. Alex McDermott, in the Uplands, in aid of the funds of the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes. Mrs. McDermott and Mrs. W. W. Baines, president of the altar society, received the guests, and Mrs. E. Vernon Thomson was in charge of the receipts.

Vari-colored tulips were used most effectively in the decoration of the reception room, and the pretty appointed tea table, covered with a lace cloth, was centered with a graceful arrangement of yellow and pink tulips, blue iris and maidenhead fern. Four tall green tapers in silver scones completed the pretty setting.

Mrs. H. C. Morris, Mrs. H. Austin, Mrs. R. E. Webb and Mrs. S. N. Whitaker presided at the tea table and were assisted by Mrs. Gordon B. Patterson, Mrs. Edward Moore, and the Misses Graham, Rose McKenna, Alice Baines and Rhoda Goward. Mrs. F. W. Gill had charge of the many tempting wares at the home-cooking stall, which was decorated with yellow and orange crepe paper, and centered with a bowl of yellow and red tulips. Mrs. Palmer and Miss O'Brien told fortunes by tarot cards.

Mrs. H. F. Crowe was the winner of the baby doll and wardrobe, made and presented by Mrs. McDermott.

## PRAYERS FOR JEWS

Montreal, May 3 (Canadian Press)—Bishop J. C. Farthing of the Anglican Church today stated he had received a call, sent throughout the world, to pray for the Jews on Sunday, May 20.

AND NOTHING CAN BE DONE ABOUT IT

By Webster

HEY, MYRT! HERE'S A HOT ONE. GET THIS

LISTN TO THIS, MYRT. IT'S RICH

WIFE (ENTHUSIASTICALLY): "I SAW THE MOST GORGEOUS CHIFFONIER TO-DAY, DEAR. BUT OF COURSE, I KNOW WE CAN NOT AFFORD."

HUBBY (RESIGNEDLY): "WHEN HAVE THEY PROMISED TO DELIVER IT?"

## Sister MARY'S KITCHEN

Glass of Hot Water Before Breakfast a Splendid Habit

Open sluices of the system each morning and wash away the poisonous, stagnant matter.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy whenever we arise; splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, lame back, can, instead, both look and feel as fresh as a daisy always by washing away the poisons and toxins from the body each morning.

We should drink, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of Condensed JAD Salts in it to flush from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels of Condensed JAD Salts, a digestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract before putting more food into the stomach.

The action of Condensed JAD Salts and hot water on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast and the roses begin to appear in the cheeks. A package of Condensed JAD Salts will cost very little at the drug store, but is sufficient to make any one who is bothered with biliousness, constipation, stomach trouble or rheumatism a real enthusiast on the subject of internal sanitation. Try it and you are assured that you will look better and feel better in every way shortly.

Note: If you are dieting to take off fat it is important that you keep your body free from weight-including waste matter and poisonous toxins. For this reason, Condensed JAD Salts is a valuable aid to reducing.

(Adv.)

## ASPARAGUS IN CRUSTA

One pound bunch asparagus, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 cup asparagus liquor, 1/2 cup cream, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, few gratings nutmeg. Cook tips separately in as little water as possible. When tender, drain and add the water to the other asparagus. Keep tips hot while bubbling the stalks through a coarse strainer. Add sauce of onion, salt and sauté. Remove onion. Melt butter and stir in flour. Cook and stir until bubbling and slowly add and bring to boiling point but do not let boil. Serve very hot.

## ASPARAGUS WITH HARD COOKED EGGS

One pound bunch asparagus, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 cup soft bread crumbs, 4 hard cooked eggs, 2 tablespoons minced parsley, salt and pepper. Wash and scrape asparagus and tie in small bunches. Cook until tender in boiling salted water. Place on a hot platter, remove strings. Cover with crumbs and minced parsley and garnish with eggs cut in halves. To prepare the crumbs, melt butter in a frying pan, add crumbs and toss lightly with a fork. Cook until a rich yellow on top of the stove or in a hot oven.

## ASPARAGUS FRIED IN DEEP FAT

One pound bunch asparagus, fine dried bread crumbs, 1 egg, 1 tablespoon salt. Wash, scrape and tie the asparagus in small bunches. Cook until tender in boiling salted water. Drain and remove strings. Dip each stalk in egg slightly beaten with water and again in



## School Singers Again Featured

Girls' Central and Boys' Central Choirs Win Grades 4 and 5, Respectively

School choirs, this time from the middle public school grades, again occupied the spotlight at yesterday afternoon's session of the Victoria Musical Festival in First United Church. Honors of the day went to the two Central choirs, the girls' and the boys'.

For highest marks in the classes for grades 4 and 5, Girls' Central grade 4 choir secured the Board of School Trustees' Cup. The Boys' Central grade 5 singers won the other choir event on the programme with a mark which was just one behind the grade 4 girls.

There were eight grade 4 choirs taking part and nine from grade 5.

**ENJOYABLE SINGING**

The grade 5 singing proved particularly enjoyable, as Dr. Collingwood remarked in his adjudication. An interesting feature was the presence in some of the choirs of Chinese and negro students and of one young Hindu wearing a snowy-white turban. There were three negroes in the winning Boys' Central Choir.

Of this choir, Dr. Collingwood said they produced a real feeling, not a drawing-room one, in their singing of the first last piece, Basett's "The Icicle." The group was the only one

which was not mixed with girls, and the adjudicator drew attention to this fact. He stated that boys singing together with vitality were hard to beat.

**SPIRITED TONE**

The singing of the whole class testified to fine teaching in the school, he affirmed.

Dr. Percy Hull, in dealing with the previous class for grade 4 choirs, got all the children to stand up and sing through part of their selections. He stressed the need for spirited tone and clear words.

After these lengthy events, the rest of the afternoon was taken up with two other classes, those for ladies' trios and tenors. The Diggon Challenge Cup, won last year by the First United Ladies' Trio, was undefended by them this year, and went to the P. J. Nurdin Studio Trio of Tacoma, with the other entry, the Columbia School Trio, finishing just a mark behind.

**TENOR CLASS**

Grade 4 tenor solo class proved an interesting one, especially because that lovely composition, "Wherever You Walk" (Handel), was one of the test pieces. In his adjudication, Dr. Collingwood pointed out that the Handel piece was written in an artificial style, but that these old-world gentlemen used to hide plenty of modern behind their conventional attitudes. Because of this, he felt, as did several great singers he had heard, that the artificial stop in the middle of the piece should be disregarded.

He made a general criticism of the class that they did not sing with the necessary indiscretion. "Love knows no restraint," he said in an aside, "on the art."

"Allow your tone to carry on the breath; don't use muscular control," he pointed out. Before announcing the marks, the adjudicator observed the competition had been one of the closest he had seen.

L. C. Clements, Nanaimo, received high marks of 87, 86, 173, and George F. H. Farmer was second with 86, 86, 172. William Donaldson, Tacoma, came third. An interesting feature was the participation of Rev. Y. Ogura, Japanese cleric, who particularly caught the notice of the adjudicator.

**PIANO EVENTS**

During the afternoon, Thomas Dunhill completed three pianoforte classes in First Baptist Church, Katherine Seaton and Jean Mayhew secured high marks of 85 in the junior piano class event for their playing of Mr. Dunhill's own piece, "Valse Bohemienne." Margaret Ussall Scouler and Winifred Denise Mara came second with 83. Mr. Dunhill gave a very interesting and extended interpretation of his own composition on the piano.

A Seattle girl, Mary Jane Stockfleth, won the other two classes, intermediate pianoforte solo and open pianoforte accompaniment. Alex Ord was second in the former and Faith Caley second in the latter.

A test piece in the solo class was a fugue by Maurice Jacobson, who adjudicated here two years ago. A fugue is rather like an etching, said Mr. Dunhill in his adjudication. The music was made up of lines, some of which were more prominent than others, and were called the subject. In playing fugues, one should not use the pedal unless one could use it so skilfully one did not "smudge."

## Young People's Church Societies

**JAMES BAY**

The regular weekly meeting of the James Bay Y.P.S. was held at the church on Monday. Miss Marjory Andrews conducted a number of new and lively games, after which Group 1, under the supervision of Miss Hilda MacGillivray, served refreshments. The tennis committee, consisting of Miss Margaret Davey, Miss Ruth Rogers and Ross Bewell, are getting plans underway for the coming season. Next week, following the business meeting, a discussion group will be led by Rev. W. R. Brown, which should prove very interesting and advantageous to all members.

**VICTORIA WEST**

The Victoria West Young People's Society held its regular weekly meeting on Tuesday evening with the vicar, Bill Lewis, presiding. A brief devotional service opened the meeting led by Bill Lewis and Cecil Milley. The subject chosen for the evening was "The Life of Florence Nightingale." Cecil Milley gave an inspiring talk which included practically every phase of her life. The delegates who will attend the conference in Vancouver on May 19 and 20 are reminded of the meeting to be held in Metropolitan Church on Friday next. The Victoria West Society will be represented by Mrs. C. Milley and Jack Price.

Rev. W. R. Brown suggested the Young People's Society be in charge

of the service on May 20 when he is absent. A committee appointed to look after the arrangements consists of Doris Burrows, Frances Jenkins, Lillian Patner, Bill Lewis, Cecil Milley and Arthur Wright.

The members were reminded of the United picnic to be held on Saturday, June 23. This society is in charge of the picnic service.

All members who wish to join the tennis club being formed in conjunction with the society, are asked to give their names either to Lillian Patner or Jack Price. Announcement was made of the election of officers to be held in June.

It is expected that within a few weeks James Bay Young People's Society will entertain the members and friends of the Victoria West Society with a play entitled, "Miss Molly." The date has not yet been decided upon.

It was announced that next week's meeting will feature "A Trip to the Imperial Navy," to be given by Mr. Watson. On May 29 Sanga Singh will be the guest speaker and his address will be "India." Both of these meetings should prove interesting. An invitation is extended to all members and their friends.

## FEWER MEN IN RELIEF CAMPS

The number of single men in National Defence Department camps was reduced by more than twenty-five per cent in April, as compared with March, according to Department of Labor figures.

At the end of March the total was 6,250. This figure is now down to 4,000.

Many of those who have left the camps are understood to have secured seasonal employment of one kind or another.

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## Ladysmith

Ladysmith, May 3.—The Native Sons and Daughters held their weekly whist drive and dance in the hall Saturday evening with ten tables in play. The prize-winners were Mrs. Bennett, Nanaimo; Miss Mona

Radford, Mrs. I. E. Lowe and D. Gordon. A novelty prize was won by Miss Mona Radford and the traveling prize by Miss Agnes Stevenson, Nanaimo, and A. Smylie.

Prize-winners at the whist drive held Monday evening in the Convent Hall, under the auspices of the Ladies' Altar Society, were as follows:

First, R. P. Battle; second, Mrs. O. Holme.

James Alberi English of Campbell River yesterday gained his divorce from Margaret English. Mr. Murphy of the Supreme Court ordered a decree absolute after a trial in which Mr. English's case was conducted by C. L. Harrison.

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# PERSONS AND EVENTS IN THE NEWS

## "CM" UP AND SEE US, DILLINGER!"



Warm welcomes await John Dillinger in many places, but it's genuine hospitality that's assured him if he cares to dine between machine gun battles at the tavern in Pennsylvania near which the above sign has been placed. The roadhouse which invites the No. 1 outlaw is near Loretto, Pa.

## SCIENCE TO GET MODEL'S BODY

Sh-h-h-h!

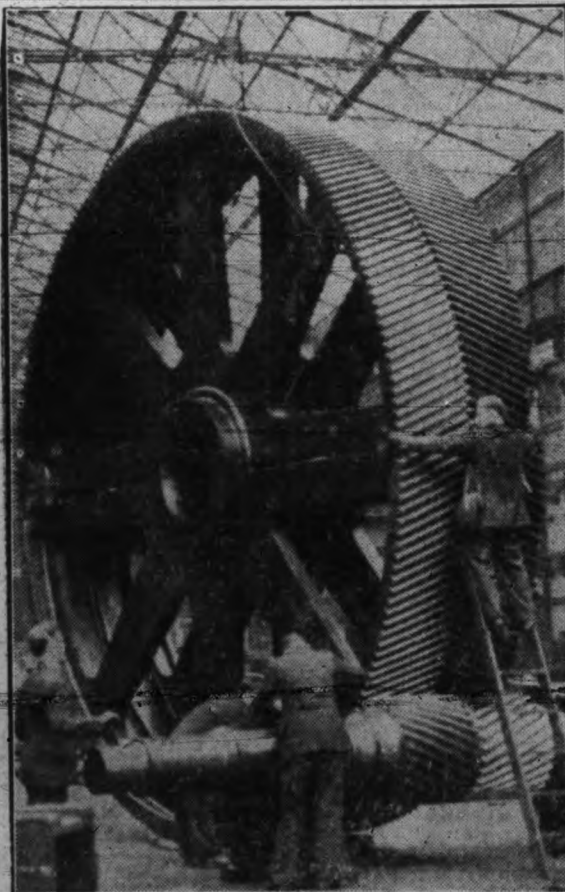


The body of the world's most famous model of modern times will go to science for research purposes, by the will of Dolores, shown above, a figure of glamour in the realm of art for many years. Dying in London, after a spectacular career in Europe, she says she hopes to aid other sufferers by her unusual action.



She wouldn't say "yes" and she wouldn't say "no," would Sweden's lovely Princess Ingrid, to those rumors of royal romance. But even as she left her Paris hotel the other day, as shown here, reports persisted that she actually is engaged to Prince Frederik of Denmark.

## A GIANT IN GEAR WHEELS



This giant gear wheel is shown being assembled at West Drayton, England. It is 18 feet 7.6 inches blank diameter, has 222 double helical teeth and weighs thirty-seven tons. When completed it will be shipped to Australia for the new Sheet Mills of Messrs. Lysaght (Australia).

## SAFE AND SOUND IN THEIR SANCTUARY



When Prof. John Buchanan and Prof. H. H. LeHew, of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, Ont., visited Jack Miner's sanctuary at Kingsville, they made this picture of part of a flock of 20,000 wild geese, one of the best ever taken.



## BEFORE THE GOVERNOR STOPPED THE USE OF FELON "MULES"



Shortage of mules was given as the reason for these convicts on the Tucker Prison Farm, Arkansas, being harnessed to ploughs in cotton fields. Although officials explained the teeth of the planter dig only two inches into the ground and the work is not hard, Governor Futrell ordered the practice discontinued. At the top, convict-power ploughs shown in act on. Below, teams resting against the yokes.

## CAMPBELLVILLE FARMER STILL FINDS OXEN BEST FOR PLOUGHING



Resident of Campbellville district all his life, James Johnston, eighty-two-year-old colored pioneer settler, is the proud possessor of a yoke of oxen which he considers provides the cheapest way of farming. While the animals are slow, they are particularly adapted to working in the rough country thereabouts. In the stony soil. Mr. Johnston has exhibited the team in many different parts of the province, including Fergus, Galt, Toronto, Guelph, Hamilton, Peterboro, St. Catharines and Niagara Falls. At one time there was a fairly large settlement where he lives, a mile and a half from Campbellville, the majority of the colored settlers who set up homes there having run away from the United States.

## A KING HOLDS COURT



He tripped chasing a ball, barked his knee, cut his lip and bruised his nose. But it's all in the game! After getting patched up, seventy-five-year-old King Gustaf of Sweden resumed his tennis match in Paris. Where you see him here in action.

## 5,000 CHICAGO TEACHERS PROTEST PAYLESS MONTHS



School teachers, some unpaid since last May, brought the school crisis vividly before Chicago when 5,000 of them paraded through the downtown section, as shown here, protesting delays in state legislation to enable payment of back salaries.

## BOY SCOUTS SOLVE UNEMPLOYMENT



Hedingham Castle, in Essex, England, has been turned into a training camp for unemployed Boy Scouts. The scheme under which they are being trained aims primarily at equipping unemployed Rover Scouts for new careers, but other young men are taken provided they are prepared to conform to Scout discipline. The organizers guarantee to train the men for three months and place them in permanent employment. Top picture shows some of the scouts receiving instruction in the upper room of the keep, while the lower photo shows some of the Rovers being trained as chefs in the cookhouse.



Mr. And Mrs.



Bringing Up Father



Boots And Her Buddies



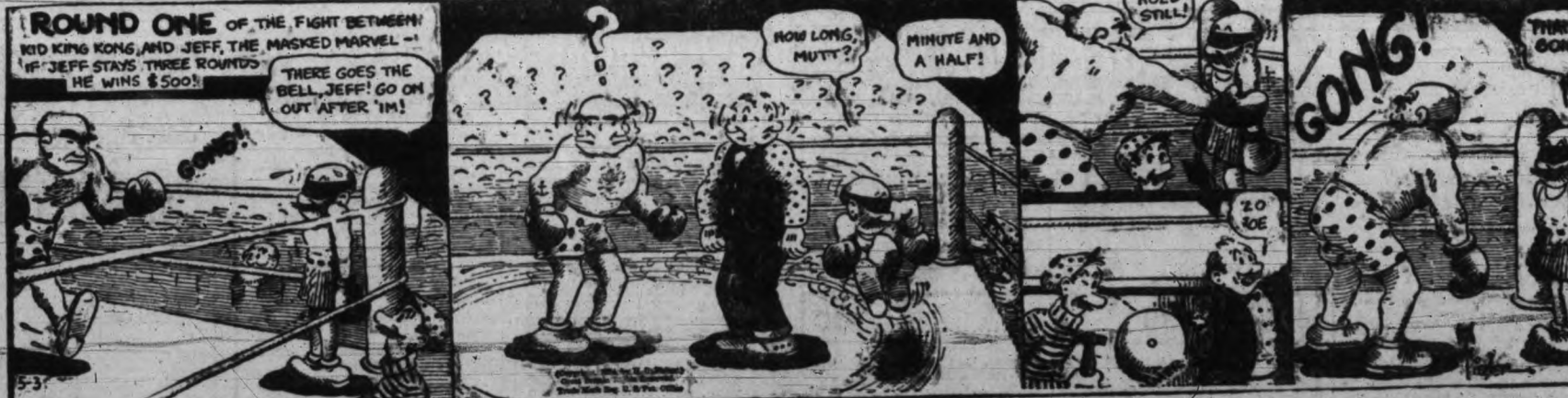
Alley Oop



Ella Cinders



Mutt And Jeff



The Gumps



# THE Lone Wolf's Son

By Louis Joseph Vance

"I have not finished," Lanyard declared. "I will be back." He turned and strode out, to find Maurice with excited eyes awaiting him. "Forgive me for interrupting the game," he half-panted, and gave a nervous half-laugh. "I couldn't wait; there isn't time; the mail plane takes off within ten minutes." "What of that?" "Fenne is going with it. Her mother consented of a sudden, and has offered to treat me to the last unbroken seat. If you have no objection, monsieur, I shall accept." "And leave me—" "Only for a day, my father. I couldn't go. It means you must know—it means much to me to be with Fenne. To-morrow night you will find me waiting at your hotel. It's the Walpole you mean to stop at, I think you told me?" "Yes." "Then you consent? Oh, thank you!" The boy fervently embraced his father. "Forgive me if I run—I haven't a minute. You'll be on hand to see us off, won't you?" He went, without pausing to hear the reply, at a headlong pell down the passageway. Lanyard took a moment to collect himself before he went back to the scene of the card game and when he did, caught the host in the act of replacing the telephone upon its bracket. "Be good enough to sit down, sir," the Rajah welcomed him. "Or do as you please. The captain promises not to keep us waiting." Lanyard frowned in perplexity. "The captain?" He saw Tess Boyce gazing on him with a curious look of shame in her gray-green eyes, Isquith back in his chair at the table at once ignoring him and looking bored, the Rajah covering him with a mook face. "Waiting?" "I have telephoned him, for help in dealing with a new development of this lamentable business." "Indeed?" Lanyard's eyebrows took a supercilious climb. "You will only make yourself a laughing-stock if you base a charge of cheating at cards on my use of a bid known to and employed by every good contract player. The choice is yours." "Unfortunately for you, I have called on the ship's authority in view of another question entirely. The ruby that I had staked on this game is missing. You saw me place it on those bank notes on the table there. Well, it has vanished. I am determined that no one shall leave these rooms till the ring is found. It should not, however, be difficult to pin the guilt where it belongs. Mrs. Bruce and Mr. Isquith are above suspicion. But you, Lanyard, if I am right, were once called the Lone Wolf." The first answer Lanyard gave to that was laughter, involuntary laughter of derision in quite natural reaction to an accusation which, following too hard on the Rajah's quite childish accusation of cheating, surcharged the moment with drama. Still chuckling, he sat down in the handiest chair, not the one that had been his at the card table, and with dancing eyes viewed the black fire of the Rajah's, the discomfiture of Isquith's, and what looked very like a light of begrudged admiration in the Boyce's—and laughed outright again. "You are pleased, then," the Rajah coldly inquired, "to find the situation amusing?" "But entirely!" "My compliments on your sangfroid. A jewel of great price disappears when you are present, you who are known as a thief to the police of two continents." Lanyard chuckled tolerantly. "Oh, that be blowed! This is too ridiculous. Whatever became of the ring, I didn't take it, and as of you know it, I could only have done so by reaching clear across the table where you left it, between your elbow and Madame Boyce's—and that without being a miracle of legerdemain. Admit it was hardly intelligent of Your Highness to try to frame the one in the poorest position to perform it." But the Rajah's vocabulary was lean in respect to the American vernacular. Frankly at a loss, he queried: "Frame?" "Admitting that there was any such theft while I was in the picture, your first and last thought was to fit a frame round me as the culprit." "But my dear sir," Isquith loftily expostulated, "you are hardly in a position to deny you were in the picture." "I am by no means satisfied that I was." "But you were here!" CHAPTER XXV "As my memory serves, and as a rule it serves me well—the ring was still on the table when I was called out of the room just now." Isquith nodded. "Fact is, we missed it as soon as you were gone." "But concluded to think it over before taking any drastic action?" Lanyard's mirth was short with scorn. "Shouted no alarm, made no move to overhaul me before I could dispose of the lost. Rather thoughtless of you, wasn't it?" "Rather," Isquith stily allowed. "Now you have pointed out the oversight, however, you may depend on our giving it plenty of thought." "Monsieur will find the exercise beneficial, I am sure, if perhaps at first fatiguing." "Adding impertinence to bravado, eh? And giving us to wonder what you think to profit by either." "Not impertinence, monsieur, believe me, nor yet bravado—simply two different expressions of fatigue. In fine, this nonsense wearies me." "You'll be bored-stupid, I'll wager, before you're finished with it." "Rubbish!" And Lanyard looked deeper in his chair, contemplating his company in bored impatience. "What do you take me for? A child, to be frightened by funny noises in the night? Perhaps but one of you three knows who did pounce that ruby, but every one of you knows it wasn't I. Am I to sit here, then, and pretend to be appalled because it's your transparent scheme to make a scapegoat of me? But it is you who are children if you imagine I shall permit you to do so." "As to that, my friend, we shall see." "At last, one point on which we agree." "Do I understand, monsieur—the Rajah, indignation painting his

## Uncle Wiggly's May Flowers

By HOWARD E. GARIS

Mrs. Longears, the rabbit lady who was the wife of Uncle Wiggly, watched him one morning as he arose from the breakfast table and hopped over to look out of the window. "Is it raining?" asked Mrs. Longears. "No, the sun is shining brightly," said Uncle Wiggly. "This ought to be the day for them, May I borrow a pair of scissors?" he asked. "Why do you want scissors?" asked Mrs. Longears. "And why is this the day for what, which doesn't seem to make much sense. But I mean, what are you expecting?" "May flowers," answered the bunny uncle. "You know we have had many April showers and they always bring May flowers. I think this will be a good day to go out and gather some for you. And I thought if I took the scissors I could cut off the blossom stems more easily." "I suppose so," said Mrs. Longears. "Go ask Nurse Jane for an old pair of scissors to cut with," she added. "I don't want you to hurt those May flowers. You might lose them in the woods." "I might, though I would take good care not to," answered Uncle Wiggly. "An old pair of scissors will do well as a new pair. And I hope to come back and bring you a fine bouquet of flowers." "Not the funny kind off Mrs. Twitstail's old hats that you fooled me with once, having perfume sprayed on old paper and cloth flowers," said Mrs. Longears. "Don't trick me again, Wiggly." "No, I will not," he promised. So away he hopped over the fields and through the woods with the old pair of scissors in his pocket, looking for May flowers. The rabbit gentleman had not gone very far, when he saw, just ahead of him, a little brook of water that was bubbling with a sound like baby's gurgling laugh, over green mossy stones. "There ought to be May flowers near that brook," thought the bunny gentleman. "I'll hop over and take a look." He did so, and as he stood on the edge of the brook he looked up and down it for any sight of bright May flowers, red, blue, purple or yellow. But he saw none. However, Mr. Longears saw something which made him laugh. This was a sight of two little frog boys, Bully and Bawly, who had made tiny boats from pieces of wood and the frogs were riding down the brook. "My boat is faster than yours does!" croaked Bully. "No, my boat goes fastest!" croaked Bawly. "Then let's have a race," said Bully, and away they started from a point up near a bend in the brook down toward where Uncle Wiggly stood watching. The frog boys needed no sails nor oars. They sat on their little wooden boats and paddled with their paws in the water. "I believe Bully is going to win the race," laughed the rabbit. For just then Bully was ahead. But all of a sudden, Bawly paddled very fast and his boat shot ahead of his brother's. Then, before Uncle Wiggly could do anything, the two boats bumped and the two frogs were spilled out into the water. "Oh, my goodness!" cried Uncle Wiggly. "Ho! Ho! Ho!" laughed Bully. "That's nothing," said Bawly. "We like being dumped out." So they swam to shore, being very good swimmers, as all frogs are, and the little boats went floating down the little brook toward the duck pond ocean. Bully and Bawly didn't care. They could find more pieces of wood to make other boats. "Did you come here to see us race, Uncle Wiggly?" asked Bully. "No," the rabbit gentleman answered. "To tell you the truth, I came out to look for May flowers, but none can I find." "Ho! Ho! Ho!" laughed Bawly. "We know where there are May flowers, don't we, Bully?" "We surely do," answered the other frog boy. "Come on, Uncle Wiggly, we'll show you." "Hopping on ahead, the frog boys led the rabbit gentleman to a little sheltered dingy dell, or nook in the forest, where the sun shone warm and where no cold winds blew and where a little spring of warm water moistened the plants. And there, in full bloom, were red, blue, yellow and purple flowers. "Oh, how beautiful!" exclaimed Mr. Longears. "I'll pick a bunch for my wife. She loves May flowers." "And we'll pick some for our mother," said Bully and Bawly. So everybody was happy, and if the cabbage can sit on the rocking chair and slide down the front stairs without bumping its head, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggly's paper flowers. (Copyright, 1934, by H. E. Garis.)



## BEAVER CLUB VICTORIOUS

Best Their Old Rivals, the  
David Spencer Choir, in  
Festival Feature

Amid much excitement, Beaver Club Singers of the Hudson's Bay Company bested their old rivals, the David Spencer Choir, in the class for commercial choral societies, last night on an interesting festival programme at First United Church yesterday evening. The Beaver Club's victory came when the Parfitt Bros. limited Cup, won last year by the Spencer's choir.

This class brought out some exceptionally good singing, as Dr. Percy Hull, the chief adjudicator, noted in his summing up. Dr. Hull said the performances of the choir had given him and his two colleagues a very great deal of pleasure, particularly their treatment of the second piece, the Armstrongs' "Old Age." The other piece was the old favorite, "Drake's Drum" (Rendell).

The winning choir, Dr. Hull observed, showed great eagerness and a most healthy spirit. The David Spencer singer led after the first song by a single mark, but the Beaver Club's rendition of the Gibb's composition earned them the trophy. The marks were 174 to 171.

These choirs looked particularly attractive on the platform, and undoubtedly all our readers will be glad to see these perennial favorites back again.

**LIEDER SINGING.**  
Another popular class was that for lieder singers, in which both the piano accompaniment and the vocalists were adjudicated. First prize went to Mrs. Roy Brumbaugh, of Tacoma, accompanied by Mrs. F. J. Murding, also of Tacoma. Their presentation of the Schumann "The Young Nun," which Dr. Arthur Colingwood described as a very daring and ambitious choice, earned them 88 marks. Miss Josephine Charlebois, accompanied by Miss Susan Moore, secured second place for their playing of Hugo Wolf's "Verborgeneit," with a mark of 86.

Dr. Colingwood, in his adjudication, observed that the lieder class was becoming increasingly popular at the British festivals. He said this was evidence of the upward trend of amateur musicians. Not very long ago, none dared attempt lieder, but now their singing was becoming almost commonplace.

**ACCOMPANIMENT.**  
He referred to the traditional inferiority complex of a great number of accompanists and said many were still suffering from it. This was not so; the pianist should not be regarded as somebody to follow, but should be recognized as an equal partner rather than a subordinate. He should be a "fifty-fifty proposition."

Christ Church Cathedral chorists retained the W. H. Wilkerson Challenge Shield for boys' choirs, when they once again defeated the St. Louis College boys in an interesting competition. At the conclusion of the event, the adjudicator told the boys up on the stage and very instructively conducted them through their first test piece, Balfour Gardiner's "Sir Eglamore."

The new class for conductors brought out the experienced Frank J. Nurdin, of Tacoma, and a young Victorian, Richard Eaton. Their task was to conduct a group of local singers through the piece provided, and within the space of six minutes to make something of it. Dr. Colingwood paid tribute to the steadiness of both conductors in entering such a competition. First place went to Mr. Nurdin, but Mr. Eaton was described as a "junior on legs."

"Conduct as few beats as possible," he added. "A person who conducts every semi-quaver is going to lose the shape of the piece."

**MADRIGALS.**  
The other class on the evening's programme which brought out some competition was that for madrigal ensembles. This was won by the Metropolitans with a good mark of 174, with the Oriana Group coming second.

T. F. Dunhill, in adjudicating this and the next class for violin duets and piano, said the two competitions had something in common, since compositions for both were meant for small rooms rather than halls. He expressed a hope the madrigal class would not be dropped.

The only entry in the senior violin duet class, with piano, consisted of Fay Ockenden, Leslie Jordan and Phyllis Dilworth. Their performance of the difficult Bach "Concerto" (first two movements) received 88 marks.

**EVENING.**  
Boys' choir—1, Christ Church Cathedral boy chorists; 2, St. Louis College.  
Conductors' class, open to adult choir conductors—1, Frank J. Nurdin, Tacoma; 2, Richard E. Eaton (2nd prize).

Lieder class, open duet for voice and piano—1, Mrs. Roy Brumbaugh and Mrs. F. J. Murding, Tacoma; 2, Miss Josephine Charlebois and Susan Moore, 86.

Madrigal ensemble, not to exceed ten voices—1, The Metropolitans; 2, Oriana Group, 168 (two entries).  
Violin duet, senior, two violins with piano—1, Fay Ockenden, Leslie Jordan and Phyllis Dilworth, 88 (only entry).

Commercial choral societies—1, Beaver Club Singers (HBC employees), 174; 2, the David Spencer Choir, 171.

**AFTERNOON.**  
Grade four choirs—1, Girls' Central School, 176; 2, Quadsra School, 175.  
Grade five choirs—1, Boys' Central School, 175; 2, Tillicum School and Quadsra School, 173 (tied).

Ladies' trio, two sopranos and an alto—1, F. J. Nurdin, Tacoma; 2, Tacoma, 175; 3, Columbia School Trio, 174 (two entries).

Vocal solo, soprano, grade A—1, L. C. Clements, Nainaimo, 178; 2, George F. H. Farmer, 172.  
Pianoforte accompaniment, open—1, Mary Jane Stockfleth, Seattle, 87; 2, Faith Galey, 82.

Pianoforte duet, junior—1, Katherine Skata and Jean Mayhew, 85; 2, Margaret Ursula Scouler and Winifred Denise Mara, 83.  
Pianoforte solo, intermediate—1, Mary Jane Stockfleth, Seattle, 177; 2, Alex Ord, 168.

**MORNING.**  
Vocal solo, boys under twelve—1, Edward Hulford, 88; 2, Ronald MacDonald and Earl Morrison, 85 (tied).  
Vocal duet, soprano and alto—1, Mrs. Roy T. Brumbaugh and Miss Margaret Myles, Tacoma, 175; 2, Miss Sylvia Holland and Miss Mona Bradford, 162 (two entries).  
Vocal solo, mezzo soprano, Grade

## 300 BRITISHERS RETURN HOME

Post-war Settlers in Australia Embittered and Penniless

London, May 3.—Embittered penniless British ex-servicemen have just returned to their mother country from Australia. They were the first batch to return, after ten years in Victoria. Twelve settlers, with their wives and fifty children, arrived at Waterloo Station, London, where they were met and welcomed by members of the British Legion.

Nearly 300 are returning to England after accepting the cash compensation offered by the Victorian government, following negotiations in respect of alleged misrepresentations of conditions.

Each received between £400 and £500 compensation, but after the payment of passage money for their families, and other expenses, including loss on the exchange rate, this sum has dwindled in most cases to a few pounds.

R. D. Lawson, one of the settlers, who was previously a pilot officer in the R.A.F., speaking to a press representative, said: "I have come back with my family of seven children of whom three are suffering from tuberculosis through malnutrition out there. My wife has been in hospital for two years."

A defence of the licensing to be applied was entered by the Minister of Agriculture.

The bill was designed, said Mr. Weir, to "put power into the hands of the producers themselves, so far as they indicate through their own organizations that they wish it and thus there will be no conflict with provincial rights."

**OTTAWA AND ITS POLITICS**  
(Continued from Page 4)

and Asia. Buying war materials Yeah, we're going to solve the depression by shooting off all our wealth in a war. If we can keep out of it we'll have a bit of a boom. After that—let's have another glass.

"You ought to see the way the Senate is coming to life. McRae and some of the boys revived its finance committee—it had been asleep twenty years—and when those old lads got started they showed the government where they could save a quarter of a million on printing alone. They're getting a great kick out of doing something for their indemnities. They'd pass McRae's resolution to withdraw from the League of Nations, but it would embarrass Bennett."

"I was up in Gerry McGeer's room just now. There's a card for you. He was wearing a pair of shorts, nothing else, a regular giant of a fellow with a chest like a strong column. You'd have laughed. There he was walking up and down the room, practically naked and spouting all this banking stuff and jabbing up books and papers. Then he picked up the Bible and started reading it by the yard to show that this banking reform business has the support of the prophets and apostles. And while he's doing his physical exercises, lying on the floor, he's still spouting economic stuff. He's overhauling the old. You tell him you're a prophet or a nut, what a man! He's a prophet or a nut, and don't know which."

**SEEK SAANICH WELFARE OFFICE**  
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**THE RHYMING OPTIMIST**  
By ALINE MICHAELS  
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Associated Press  
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**NEW TRADE TREATY**  
Belgrade, Yugoslavia, May 3 (Associated Press)—Germany and Yugoslavia, which are regarded by foreign observers as having a number of common political interests, to-day had concluded a trade treaty and a tourist consular agreement.

**JESSE A. SHIPP DIES**  
New York, May 3 (Associated Press)—Jesse A. Shipp, the "Abraham" of "The Green Pastures," is dead. The seventy-five-year-old negro actor, playwright and producer of minstrel shows, one of the "delegation" in "The Green Pastures" who called on "De Lawd" in the scene which took place in "De Lawd's office" in Heaven, died Tuesday.

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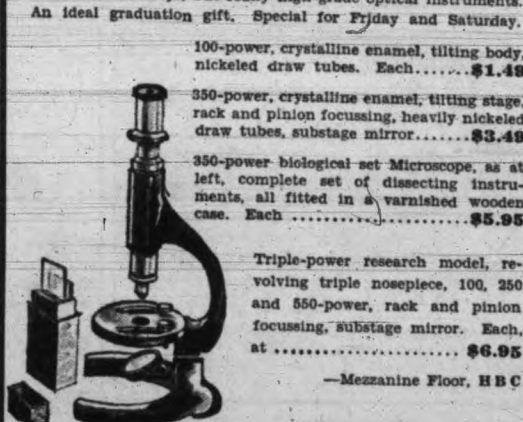
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100-power, crystalline enamel, tilting body, nickel-plated draw tubes. Each.....\$1.49  
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The annual cadet inspection at Oaklands School will be held at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

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Twenty-four British Columbia chiropractors of approximately 25 in the province, have complied to date with the order calling for their registration under the Chiropractors Act.

The act requires that they must be British subjects and diplomas specifying their qualifications be called for to establish their right to registration.

The registrations will be open until May 31 and those registered at that time will become members of the first Chiropractors' Association of British Columbia. The government will then within a month appoint a board of chiropractors who will pass on the qualifications of those seeking the right to practice. The board will name its own examining board and make its own regulations subject to approval by order-in-council.

The specification that those who register must be British subjects may be a time-consuming process, but not completed in time for them to be registered.

Robert C. Bell, member of the staff of the United Cigar Store, is to-day celebrating his birthday in bed at his home, 2131 Douglas Street. Born in Argylshire, he attended Glasgow Academy before coming to Canada.

P. Vaughan Thompson to-day celebrates his birthday and the successful completion of his first year in the independent grocery business. His shop is in the Burns Block, Douglas Street. Mr. Thompson was in the news not so long ago when he found a large and very live tarantula in a bunch of bananas.

Alex McCabe has a birthday to-day. A native of Scotland, he came to Victoria in 1908. He is now a partner in the Capital Cleaners. He is an active member of the I.O.O.F.

FAN DANCER'S HUSBY FIRED

Mounted Policeman Broke Rule in Getting Married; Fay Baker Sorry

Regina, May 3.—Discharged from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police force which he joined in Vancouver four months ago, J. H. Leslie, who married Fay Baker, known as Fay Baker, "fan dancer," in March, has left for Winnipeg, police officials stated to-day.

Getting a week-end leave pass at Easter time, Leslie went up to Calgary and married Fay Baker, a fan dancer, without receiving permission of the officer commanding in Regina, police said. Failure to obtain permission resulted in his dismissal.

Miss Baker, who is giving fan dance exhibitions here, expressed regret that her husband had lost his position. The marriage culminated a short courtship in Regina, where Miss Baker met Leslie and attended a mounted police ball.

Faced with the choice between a dancing career and marriage, the fan dancer took the former, and secured a legal separation. Her brother, C. W. Nebel, who is her manager, demanded a decision be made.

Miss Baker stated that the marriage was not carried out for the purpose of capitalizing the fact that she was a married woman, but that she was now being launched in the state of Wisconsin.

MAN KILLED IN ISLAND MINE

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Premier Doumergue Reported Supporting Two-Year Service Plan

By John Evans, Associated Press Staff Writer

Paris, May 3.—France is considering lengthening military service in the face of the danger the government sees in the policies of Chancellor Adolf Hitler of Germany, it was learned authoritatively to-day.

Premier Gaston Doumergue, reliable sources said, is backing a proposal of Marshal Henri Poincaré, Minister, to increase by stages the twelve-month conscript service until eventually it reaches possibly two years.

The French parliament has been hostile to such a measure, but the hostility in births during the Great War has resulted in diminishing the size of the army and the cabinet fears a frankly held, and a fifty-year-old in a world situation the government regards as full of danger.

GERMAN REARMAMENT

The proposed increase is declared the logical one by the French, but a disarmament now is out of the question in view of Germany's clear announcement she intends to build up an army.

He saw service in France in the Forestry Corps. He is survived by his widow and two sons, George and William, both of Nanaimo. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Token Payment Will Be Made

Britain Reported Planning to Offer Silver to U.S. in Tune on Debt

By Albert W. Wilson, Associated Press Staff Writer

London, May 3.—Great Britain already is prepared to make a silver token debt payment to the United States in June, it was reported in financial circles to-day, as a result of the recent drop in silver prices.

While official confirmation was lacking, it is believed probable the government took advantage of the low prices.

Although the day of reckoning is only a little more than a month away, there is still no official indication Great Britain is making any kind of a payment on her debts to the United States, but it is believed it will be another token payment.

Nanaimo, May 3.—Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. C. C. gathered at their home on Halliburton Street Monday evening, the occasion being the silver anniversary of their wedding. Mrs. Cottle, before her marriage, was Miss Ellen Drake, daughter of the late Sheriff Drake, and Mr. and Mrs. Cottle were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, among which was a silver tea service, the gift of the immediate family. A feature of the evening was a roll call of those who were present at the wedding. Each person answering with a song or anecdote. Mrs. R. T. Wilson proposed the toast to the bride and groom, which was responded to by the groom. Mrs. Cottle cut the wedding cake. A pleasant evening was spent in games, music and contests.

## Birthday Greetings Are Extended To-day To—

ALDERMAN P. R. BROWN JOHN BOWKER ROBERT C. BELL F. VAUGHAN THOMPSON ALEC MCCABE

Alderman P. R. Brown, chairman of the city council finance committee, to-day celebrated his birthday as Victoria's acting mayor. Alderman Brown served on the City School Board for four years, from 1922 to 1925, and was elected to the council in 1925, serving on the two boards at the same time, a distinction which he holds as the present council enjoys.

Alderman Brown was in the last civil elections he was returned to the council at the head of the poll for a two-year term. In private life he is senior partner in P. R. Brown and Sons.

John Bowker, proprietor of the Oak Bay Garage, who to-day has a birthday, is a native son, and comes of a well-known old pioneer family. He is the great-grandson of Hon. John Todd, who entered the service of the Hudson's Bay Company in 1812. John has been on many J.B.A.A. teams, and is a keen fisherman.

Robert C. Bell, member of the staff of the United Cigar Store, is to-day celebrating his birthday in bed at his home, 2131 Douglas Street. Born in Argylshire, he attended Glasgow Academy before coming to Canada.

P. Vaughan Thompson to-day celebrates his birthday and the successful completion of his first year in the independent grocery business. His shop is in the Burns Block, Douglas Street. Mr. Thompson was in the news not so long ago when he found a large and very live tarantula in a bunch of bananas.

Alex McCabe has a birthday to-day. A native of Scotland, he came to Victoria in 1908. He is now a partner in the Capital Cleaners. He is an active member of the I.O.O.F.

FAN DANCER'S HUSBY FIRED

Mounted Policeman Broke Rule in Getting Married; Fay Baker Sorry

Regina, May 3.—Discharged from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police force which he joined in Vancouver four months ago, J. H. Leslie, who married Fay Baker, known as Fay Baker, "fan dancer," in March, has left for Winnipeg, police officials stated to-day.

Getting a week-end leave pass at Easter time, Leslie went up to Calgary and married Fay Baker, a fan dancer, without receiving permission of the officer commanding in Regina, police said. Failure to obtain permission resulted in his dismissal.

Miss Baker, who is giving fan dance exhibitions here, expressed regret that her husband had lost his position. The marriage culminated a short courtship in Regina, where Miss Baker met Leslie and attended a mounted police ball.

Faced with the choice between a dancing career and marriage, the fan dancer took the former, and secured a legal separation. Her brother, C. W. Nebel, who is her manager, demanded a decision be made.

Miss Baker stated that the marriage was not carried out for the purpose of capitalizing the fact that she was a married woman, but that she was now being launched in the state of Wisconsin.

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## Missing Woman Still Sought

Two Reports of Miss Sarah Coffey Being Seen Fail to Bring Results

Police of Greater Victoria to-day continued their search for Miss Sarah Coffey, 1162 Oscar Street, Yacheltan, who disappeared on Tuesday morning. Two reports that she was seen yesterday failed to bring any results.

Thomas Farmer, 2948 Scott Street, to-day police he had seen an elderly woman near Loon Bay, near the Yacheltan wharf, answering her description, but investigation by the Victoria police proved fruitless.

W. H. Lettice, who knows Miss Coffey, saw her at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning standing on the lawn of 407 Cook Street. This was shortly after she disappeared.

High School Will Mark Anniversary

Victoria High School will observe the twentieth anniversary of the opening of the present building on Tuesday at 2 o'clock on Tuesday. The building was formally opened on May 1, 1914, but the celebration of the event has been delayed to avoid conflict with other activities this week.

The ceremony will take the form of a special assembly in the school auditorium at 2 o'clock on Tuesday. The event has been delayed to avoid conflict with other activities this week.

FOREST FIRE TOTAL HIGH

Although few of the fires reported have reached grave proportions, the unusual dry spell in British Columbia has resulted in a big increase in the number of blazes reported to date.

Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Lands, since the fire season started, forty-four fires have been reported, and hot, dry weather in the Kamloops and Nelson district increased the hazard. At this time last year only eleven fires were reported.

Of the fires reported this year twelve are in the Kamloops area, twenty in Nelson, three at Port George, two at Prince Rupert and seven in the Vancouver district.

SAUDIS WIN ARAB WAR

Yemen Reported Captured By Ibn Saudis Army; Iman Stated Assassinated

Associated Press

London, May 3.—Ibn Saud, ruler of Saudi Arabia, was reported to-day to have crushed the ancient Kingdom of Yemen, captured Meccah, and sunk armed ships in Hodeida harbor with his modernized army artillery.

The Iman of Yemen, ruler of the country, was reported assassinated in a revolutionary outbreak.

The British government moved to protect its nationals and British property and to prevent any organized uprising of Arabians.

Warships, including the sloop Penelope, were dispatched to the area. The cruiser Empress was ordered from Bombay, East Africa, to Aden in southwest Arabia.

THE situation in Arabia was regarded with grave concern by the British government.

France and Italy, which possess colonies at the southern end of the Red Sea, also may become involved, it was said.

British quarters said they feared Ibn Saud might be inspired to extend his power among all Arabic peoples east of Egypt.

The British have direct control of Aden, Hadramaut, Koweit and large areas in southern and eastern Arabia. The control of Aden was only recently negotiated with the Iman and official quarters indicated Great Britain was ready to use force to maintain order.

MUST ANSWER THEFT CHARGE

Wrangell Fisherman Arrested To-day in Prince Rupert By B.C. Police

Canadian Press

Prince Rupert, May 3.—Pat Kelly, fisherman from Wrangell, Alaska, has been arrested here by British Columbia provincial and city police at the request of Alaskan authorities to answer a charge of theft of a gas boat and a second charge of grand larceny, connection with the theft of \$1500 worth of furs stolen from Stanley Jekell of Wrangell.

Kelly is being held pending the arrival from Kelchikan, Alaska, of Deputy Marshall Caswell, who it is expected, will institute extradition proceedings with a view to taking the man back to Alaska for trial.

Police allege Kelly took possession of the gas boat at Wrangell on April 25 and brought it here. Thomas Tremble, former employee of Jekell, understood to have been arrested in connection with the same case.

Germany Passes New Death Laws

Canadian Press from Havas

Berlin, May 3.—The shadow of the headman's axe grew larger over Germany to-day when the death penalty was extended to include various acts of treason, it was learned.

New capital crimes include incitement to desert, the safety of the state and illegal propaganda by the composing or distribution of insults or phonograph records.



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## BOLTON HEADS POULTRY BODY

Elected President at Annual Meeting; Other Officers Named

W. M. Bolton, well-known figure in local poultry circles, was yesterday evening elected president of the Victoria Poultry Association at the annual meeting held at the Y.M.C.A.

W. F. Jones, secretary, and H. G. Robinson, treasurer, while the following were elected members of the executive committee: D. Nichol, J. H. Reason, S. S. Jones, E. Barnes, G. Jack, H. D. Stewart and M. Hanna. D. Nichol was named honorary president of the association.

Future meetings of the association will be held on the first Monday of each month. Efforts will be made to have a member of the provincial poultry department address the members at the next meeting on June 4.

Young Vocalists Of City Praised

Victoria boasts one of the finest groups of young vocalists that adjudicators have met in their entire careers. Dr. Arthur Collingwood, one of the vocal adjudicators, told members of the Rotary Club at their luncheon in the Empress Hotel to-day.

In a short talk Dr. Collingwood paid unstinted praise to the high standard of the children's performance in the Musical Festival this morning, and added to it words of praise for their personal attractiveness.

Briefly he explained to the club members the manner in which trouble in the Aberdeen Rotary Club had been straightened out, and related one or two humorous stories regarding residents of that city.

Young People's Church Societies

PRESBYTERIAN Y.P.A.

The fourth in the series of inter-society debates will take place Friday evening in the Knox Presbyterian Church, corner of Gladstone and Stanley Avenues, at 8.30 o'clock. The subject of the debate will be: "Recreation and Education." The motion does not help to develop character.

The affirmative of this question will be argued by the Knox Y.P.S., and the negative by the Chinese Y.P.S. All association members are asked to attend.

DOUGLAS STREET Y.P.S.

The regular meeting of the Douglas Street Baptist Young People's Society will be held Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. A. S. Okamoto will talk on Japan. Everyone is invited.

LOANS TO B.C. LESS THAN OTHERS

By Times Staff Correspondent

Ottawa, May 3.—British Columbia has received less financial assistance from the federal government than any western province, according to figures contained in the last Rhodes budget and reviewed with interest by British Columbia cabinet ministers here to-day as negotiations with federal government for new loans came to grief.

Altogether the federal government has loaned the western provinces \$50,740,000. Of this, British Columbia has had \$7,000,000; Alberta, \$10,051,000; Saskatchewan, \$23,555,000; and Manitoba, \$10,080,000.

While Saskatchewan has already received over three times as much as British Columbia



# The Program For Annual Oak Bay High School Sports

## THE SPORTS SECTION

### Students To Battle For High Honors On Campus May 25

W. Hayward and Annie Turner will defend Senior Aggregate Championships

#### ENTRY LIST TO CLOSE MAY 14

With thirty-five events listed, seventeen for the girls and eighteen for the boys, the complete programme for the Oak Bay High School annual sports meet to be held on Friday, May 25, was released today by school officials in charge of the event. The meet will be held on the spacious school campus in the afternoon and will draw hundreds of interested fans to the scene of this interesting annual event.

The complete list of fixtures is one of considerable variety and includes sprints, hurdles, broad jump, high jump, relay races, bicycle races, obstacle events, tug-of-war, nail driving, three-legged race, egg and spoon race, golf competition, window jumping and old boys' race.

W. Hayward, present holder of the Dickson Cup, for a senior securing the most points, will be on hand to defend his laurels as will L. Lewis, winner of the School Cup for aggregate points gained by a junior competitor. The Murdoch Cup for the junior 440 dash will pass on to a new quarter-mile champion this year as K. Wilson, last year's winner, has left the institution.

Annie Turner and Sheila Swift, last year's winners of the senior and junior girls' aggregate cups, respectively, will be strong contenders for the honors at the coming meet.

Entries for all events must be handed to class representatives by 3 o'clock Tuesday, May 14. The entrance fee is ten cents for each event, three or more for twenty-five cents.

Points to be considered in the aggregate cup competitions are completed as follows: First, three points; second, two points; third, one point; and will be awarded in the following events: Boys, 100, 220, 440 yards, 100 yards hurdles, high jump, broad jump, relay, 75 yards dash, 75 yards hurdles, high jump, broad jump and window jumping.

With the date of the meet only three weeks distant, many of the students are in training for the event. Present holders of the aggregate cups won last year, are expected to face keen competition in the coming meet.

PROGRAMME

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Girls' Events

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220 yards, over 16.

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75 yards, inter-class relay, team of 4.

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Three-legged race, open.

Nail driving contest, open.

Window jumping, over 16.

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Egg and spoon race, open.

French addition, Grade IX and X.

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Slow bicycle race, open.

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Tug-of-war, any number, total weight 1,000 pounds or under.

Old boys' race

#### THE BIG SIX

Cracking out three hits in four trips to the plate, Carl Reynolds, Red Sox outfielder, climbed back into the lead yesterday in baseball's big six. The hitting spree boosted his batting average to .451, a gain of twenty-five points. Mel Ott of the Braves, who is only other member of the sextette to see action, again took control of the National League trio. He connected safely twice, including his grand slam, to boost his average to .395, an increase of twenty points.

The standings:

Team	Wins	Losses	Percentage
Red Sox	10	11	.476
Braves	9	12	.429
Yankees	8	13	.385
Phillies	7	14	.333
Giants	6	15	.286
Pirates	5	16	.238

The improvement of provincial football is one way to improve provincial football, one way to give back to it the gladness, the gaiety, the pleasure, the excitement and the fullness of its halcyon days. The members of this committee suggest that way? Could the Scottish Football Association give it the countenance when so many of our influential football men are in the grip of the professional monster?

### FISHING AND GETS RABBIT

Fort Erie, Ont., May 3.—The prize fishing story of the spring season came yesterday from John Campbell, veteran river and lake fisherman, who averts an unsuccessful follower of the Watkinson sport, patiently awaiting a nibble, knocked down a cottontail rabbit which happened to be cantering along the Fort Erie docks where he was sitting yesterday. The fisherman took the rabbit home, well satisfied with his luck, and wound up his line right then to call it a fair day.

### AUSTRALIANS WIN TENNIS

Jack Crawford and Vivian McGrath Advance in Bournemouth Tournament

Bournemouth, Eng., May 3.—Daniel Prens, the German tennis star, eliminated E. R. Avery of England in one of the feature matches of the English hard-court tournament yesterday. Prens won the match, a third rounder, by scores of 6-4, 6-3, 6-2.

R. Mik of Japan defeated Don Turnbull, England, 10-8, 6-0, 6-3, but V. G. Kirby of South Africa in turn eliminated J. Y. Amagishi of Japan, 4-6, 6-1, 7-5, 6-3.

Pred Perry defeated C. E. Maltroy of England, 6-4, 2-6, 6-1, 6-0, and Vivian McGrath, Australia, won over C. E. Hare, England, 6-1, 6-4, 6-3.

Jack Crawford, the Australia ace, defeated J. Fujikura, Japan, 6-1, 9-7, 6-2.

Teams headed by the president and captain will meet in a match at the Gorge Lake Club on Sunday. The pairings and starting times were announced today, although post entries will be accepted.

The draw, with the president's side first named, follows:

7:55—O. H. Dorman and O. A. Trickett vs. O. Reister and S. B. Slinger.

8:00—H. D. Mainwaring and M. H. Barry vs. E. J. Hunter and W. Marshall.

8:05—C. W. Wilson and J. Matthews vs. J. D. Kissinger and D. W. Morry.

8:10—W. B. Christopher and J. A. Wray vs. R. Brindle and P. Guy.

8:15—T. Cowden and J. Wodderburn vs. A. J. Maynard and V. M. Gallon.

8:20—R. Cox and D. W. Spence vs. D. R. Hurdle and E. Colgate.

8:25—O. O. Smith and A. Walton vs. P. Hallier and J. Thomson.

8:30—W. Newcombe and P. Painter vs. H. D. Reid and D. Macey.

8:35—A. J. Wakeman and C. Baird vs. D. J. Mugford and J. D. McNeill.

8:40—E. D. Freeman and W. H. Liddard vs. R. Foulis and J. Bartlett.

8:45—A. Gower and R. D. MacLennan vs. Pat Freeman and Bert Hill.

8:50—A. T. Hunkin and C. F. Lane vs. H. D. Reid and D. Macey.

8:55—R. W. Carey and J. Walton vs. R. Peden and J. W. Merber.

9:00—R. Humberstone and Dr. D. M. Stott vs. A. McCallum and G. Bell.

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### 1950 ENTER GOLF EVENT

U.S. Open Championship Draws Near Record List; Only 150 Will Qualify

New York, May 3.—A near record entry of 1,000 players, only 127 under the all-time total which completed in 1930, had been received yesterday by the United States Golf Association for the national open championship at Merion Cricket Club, Philadelphia, June 7, 8 and 9. The lists closed Tuesday.

Only 150 of the entries, however, will compete in the championship proper. All except thirty-seven of these must win their places in sectional qualifying rounds May 7 and 14.

The thirty low scores of last year and the seven members of the United States Walker Cup team who did not

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### Lester Patrick To Remain As Manager

Col. John S. Hammond, Who Yesterday Gained Control of Madison Square Garden, Announces Patrick Will Continue to Lead Rangers Hockey Team

New York, May 3.—Madison Square Garden, the sports palace Tex Rickard built, returned yesterday to the control of one of its earliest associates, Col. John S. Hammond, the man who fought hardest, and for years lost the battle, for continuance of the policies of the great promoter.

Hammond announced yesterday, with the exception of minor legal details he and his unnamed associates had bought the stock interests of Richard P. Hoyt and Hayden, Stone & Co., the bankers who underwrote Rickard's \$7,000,000 venture nine years ago. The deal was reported to have involved the transfer of 112,000 shares of stock at \$7 per share, slightly above the market value.

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### Campbell River Takes Football

Cumberland, May 3.—Campbell River Tynes soccer team, leaders in the second half of the second division soccer league of Comox district, won the Pacific Cup and medals, emblematic of the championship of the National Hockey League, when they defeated the Cumberland Rangers, champions of the first half, 4 to 1, at Cumberland on Sunday. The Rangers, although much younger and lighter than the Tynes, were favored as the better team, but defeated themselves when by the misjudgment of their backs they scored twice against their own goal. The Rangers scored first and the score at half time was 1 to 1. The game played before an enthusiastic crowd, almost as many as Campbell River people as Cumberland being on hand.

thus qualify are exempt from the qualifying play. The entries now will be sorted by the U.S.G.A. as to sections and pairings made for the thirty-six-hole qualifying rounds. The number of qualifying places will be allotted each district on the basis of entries.

### SETH'S HOPE RACE VICTOR

Takes Feature Event on Tanforan Card; Wild Hour Pays \$109.40 For \$2

San Bruno, Cal., May 3.—Seth's Hope, with the track's leading jockey, George Burns, riding, won the feature race at Tanforan yesterday, finishing four lengths ahead of Center Lane and going away in a final rush. Seth's Hope made the mile and seventy yards in 1:44 and paid \$5.00, \$4.80 and \$3 in the mutuels.

Center Lane paid \$5.30 and \$3.80, while Major Lamplugh, placing third, paid \$4.20. It was the second win of the day for Burns.

William Griffin also won two races yesterday. He brought Wild Hour home in the fifth, to pay \$109.40.

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### BILLIARD MATCH WON BY S. OAKES

Playing at the Army and Navy Veterans' clubrooms yesterday evening, Sam Oakes, city billiard champion, defeated Harry Robinson, 800 to 226. Oakes' high breaks were: 60, 40, 43 and 46. J. C. Robinson's high mark was 46. J. C. Robinson's high mark was 46.

### Teddy Phillips Drops Decision

London, May 3.—Seaman Rowles Royal Navy, yesterday evening defeated Ted Phillips, Toronto lightweight boxer, outpointing him in a ten-round bout.

### CELTIC BEATS CLYDE

Glasgow, Scotland, May 3.—Celtic yesterday defeated Clyde, 2 to 1, in a first-round match for the Scottish Football Association Charity Cup.

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Great Field Will Face Post in Kentucky Classic at Louisville Saturday

Louisville, Ky., May 3.—If Lady Luck hovers over the Churchill Downs track for just three more days, the best Kentucky Derby field from the standpoint of both quality and speed will face the barrier Saturday, and no scotcher will dare to remark that the Derby was run "in trotting horse time."

Mrs. I. D. Stange's record-breaking Cavalade had fully recovered yesterday from the nervousness caused by his train ride to Kentucky. Joseph E. Widener's Peace Chance, which English-bred filly, worked the full Derby route for a mile and a quarter in 2:04 5/8 yesterday, handily, and remarked that the 2:04 1/8 record by Mrs. Payne Whitney's Spy Hill before \$80,000 added stake.

Western hopefuls shorted with joy when Col. E. R. Bradley's Bazaar, the English-bred filly, worked the full Derby route for a mile and a quarter in 2:04 5/8 yesterday, handily, and remarked that the 2:04 1/8 record by Mrs. Payne Whitney's Spy Hill before \$80,000 added stake.

Colonel Bradley, however, said he was not pleased by Bazaar's showing, since his timing showed she ran the last quarter in twenty-seven seconds. Other clockers said the Colonel was "ways beilting," as his watches caught the last quarter in two-fifths faster.

### Junior Softball

Driving over two runs in the eighth inning, Goodwin's Grocery nine defeated Adams' Grocery, 8 to 7, yesterday evening at Central Park in one of the opening fixtures of the Junior Softball League. In the other game, Foul Bay Community Association chalked up an 8 to 4 victory over the Colonists.

James scheduled for to-morrow evening are as follows: Jameson vs. Cycloetes, Memorial Park. Umpires, A. Coomber and Arhorne.

Liberals vs. Province, Central Park, under ground. Umpires, Wiffen and Clarke.

Peacocks vs. Art Point, Central Park, lower ground. Umpires, Taylor and E. Kruse.

### Teddy Phillips Drops Decision

London, May 3.—Seaman Rowles Royal Navy, yesterday evening defeated Ted Phillips, Toronto lightweight boxer, outpointing him in a ten-round bout.

### Garrison Eleven Wins Soccer Cup

Defeats Hudson's Bay 2 to 0 in Rennie and Taylor Cup Final Yesterday; Spencers' and Navy Play Scoreless Draw in Second Final

Having an edge in the play in each half, but more particularly in the second session, Garrison's mid-week soccer eleven gained possession of the prized Rennie and Taylor Cup yesterday afternoon at the Athletic Park when they defeated the Hudson's Bay by a 2 to 0 score in the second game of a twin soccer programme. Fighting in defence of the McKay Shield they won last year, Spencers' battled to a scoreless overtime draw with the Navy. The match will be replayed at the Athletic Park next week with the kick-off set at 3 o'clock.

Before the commencement of the overtime in the Spencers-Garrison McKay Shield final, Miss Fay Baker, international fan dancer, made her soccer debut and received a large hand from the fans. She booted the ball to set the teams into the overtime play. On retiring from the field Miss Baker was presented with a bouquet of tulips by little Gordon Pryn, infant son of W. J. Pryn, park caretaker.

GARRISON HAVE EDGE

Garrison had slightly the better of the first half but could not get the leather into the net that Barker was guarding. Dick Miller, Edwards, Cook and Worswick, Garrison forwards, all tested the Bay custodian with wicked shots in this half but he was as safe as the Rock of Gibraltar.

Hudson's Bay forwards made some fine moves in this half and carried play to the Garrison goal on many occasions, but their finishes in front of the goal were miserably weak.

WORKSWICK SCORES

Taking up the offensive from the halftime kick-off the Tommies literally bombarded their opponents' goal, but Wyatt and O'Connor, Bay backs, and Barker, goalie, saved all that the Garrison fired at them. Finally, however, the soldier front line sneaked from inside the penalty area during a heavy attack.

Keeping up the pressure and holding the green and gold aggregation for the better part in their own half of the field, the eventual winners made it 2 to 0, when Edwards' long shot cut away from the goal.

Rallying in the final minutes the Bays tried to pull the game out of the net, but they found the task an impossible goal. McKillop and the final whistle sounded they were still two goals down.

Johnson refereed. The teams for the Spencers-Garrison-Glendinning, Burgess, S. Bischoff, Dyer, Evans, Wilkinson, McAllister, Worswick, Miller, Edwards and Cook.

Hudson's Bay—Baxter, O'Connell, Wyatt, Oskman, Kennedy, Collier, Morgan, Richards, Fish, Stevens and McNeill.

SCORELESS DRAW

Playing through 100 minutes of football without a score, Spencers and the Navy mid-week soccer eleven left off just where they started in the McKay Shield series.

Play, particularly in the first half, was fast, and while a number of the respective front ranks, no scoring resulted. Forward lines of each of the clubs had their shooting boots people adjusted, and when they did find the goal McKillop of Spencers and Caldwell of the Navy got in the way of the shots and ruined scoring opportunities.

There was little to choose between the clubs in the seventy minutes of play, the edge, if any, favoring the sailors. However, in the extra time, Spencers again showed their fight and had it not been for the sensational work of Caldwell, Navy goalkeeper, the sailors would probably be out of the McKay Shield series.

His hand injured early in the second half, Caldwell played the remainder of the match and the overtime with his left hand bandaged.

McKay refereed.

### Major Baseball League Leaders

Leaders in the various departments in the major baseball leagues follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting—Ott, Giants, .395.

Runs—Klein, Cubs, and Vaughan, Pirates, 20.

Runs batted in—Klein, Cubs, 16.

Hits—Moore, Giants, 20.

Home runs—Ryan, Giants, 7.

Tripledoubles—Pirates, 3.

Home runs—Klein, Cubs, and Ott, Giants, 6.

Stolen bases—Fife with two.

Pitching—Blash, Cubs, 4-0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Batting—Reynolds, Red Sox, .451.

Runs—Morgan, Red Sox, 13.

Runs batted in—Reynolds, Red Sox, 16.

Hits—Reynolds, Red Sox, 23.

Doubles—Werber, Red Sox, 8.

Tripledoubles—Manush, Senators, 3.

Home runs—Fox, Athletics, and Bonura, White Sox, 4.

Stolen bases—Walker, Tigers, 7.

Pitching—Three with 3-0.

### PIN RECORD ESTABLISHED

Buster Smith Rolls 601 in Booster Class at International Congress

Spokane, May 3.—A new Northwestern International Bowling Congress record for the booster class was set by Buster Smith, Spokane, in the tournament here. Smith bowled 601, beating the record set last year at Victoria by F. Smith, Vancouver, B.C.

Spokane, came close to the 1,171 set up by Knaples and Ellis, Vancouver, in the doubles. Smith of Spokane bowled 601 in his attempt to overreach Gerdes of Coeur d'Alene, whose 607 still stands high in the singles.

Other Spokane commercial class—Cramer and Anderson 988, McCormick and Bischoff 1,106, R. Rodgers and E. Rodgers 1,118, Marquis and Bungay 1,044, Pickett and Wert 988.

Singles, all Spokane—Wilson, Booster, 493; Brun, Booster, 511; McCormick, Commercial, 838; Bischoff, open, 597; Steinfeld, open, 518; R. Rodgers, Commercial, 339; E. Rodgers, Commercial, 550; Cramer, Commercial, 300; Cramer, Commercial, 1,044, Pickett and Wert 988.

Don Bradman HAS CENTURY

Australian Cricket Star Opens English Tour With 112 Not Out

London, May 3.—With a smashing century by the great Don Bradman, not out, the touring Australian cricketers yesterday made an aggressive start on their long season in England.

Opening the season with a three-day match at Worcester, the touring Australians dismissed the County XI for 112 runs, and then piled up 109 for the loss of only three wickets.

Bradman scored 112 and Captain P. M. Woodfull 48 by the close of play. Clarence Grimmett took five wickets for 53.

Only one regular first class county match was included in the five matches that got under way yesterday. At Cardiff, scores at the close were: Kent 332 (Ashdown 109), Glamorgan 8 for one wicket.

Other scores: M.C.C. 142 (Hendren 81, Holmes six for 16, Geyer four for 25), Surrey 181 for two (Holmes 50, Gregory 59).

Cambridge 248 (Bartlett 47 for no wickets, at Yorkshire 47 for no wickets, at Oxford 176, Mitchell-Innes 107), Gloucestershire 20 for no wickets.

Alekhine Leader In Chess Tourney

Stuttgart, Germany, May 3.—The twelfth game of the world chess championship match, between Dr. Alexander Alekhine, Paris, and E. D. Bogoljubov, German challenger, was adjourned yesterday after forty moves.

Experts said Bogoljubov's position was slightly superior. The score stands: Alekhine, four games; Bogoljubov, one; drawn, six; adjourned, one.

QUICK ENDING

Wilmington, Calif., May 3.—Bobby Pacheco, 141 pounds, Los Angeles lightweight, knocked out Eddie Martin, 139½, New York, in the first round of their scheduled ten-round bout there yesterday evening.



## Pittsburgh Looks Dangerous Threat

Pirates Prove Stumbling Block to Chicago and Topple Cubs From the National League Baseball Lead; Giants Whip Brooklyn to Take First Place

As the eastern clubs of the National League move on the west for the opening of the first inter-sectional strife of the 1934 major league season, a timely warning might be to look out for Pittsburgh Pirates. It appears very much to the point as the Pirates clash with the league-leading New York Giants in the first series.

So far Chicago Cubs have held the spotlight more than any other western club in the circuit, but it was Pittsburgh, in third place with only a fair showing against Cincinnati and St. Louis, which knocked the Cubs out of the lead. Following Tuesday's 4 to 1 triumph behind Ralph Barker, the Pirates won a 4 to 2 yesterday with Heilmie Meine, veteran right-hander, on the hill.

Sparky Vaughan opened the firing in the first with a homer with one on base and the hits off Lon Warneke continued to come when they counted. Even Chuck Klein's sixth circuit walk could not stop the Bucs.

HAL GAME BEHIND  
Chicago's defeat dropped the Cubs a half game behind the Giants, who wobbled through to their third straight victory over Brooklyn 6 to 5 when Frank O'Doul smashed a pinch homer with two aboard in the eighth.

The St. Louis Cardinals won the other National League struggle from the Cincinnati Reds, 4 to 1. Philadelphia and Boston were untroubled.

Cleveland Indians advanced to within a half game of first place in the American League without playing as both New York and Detroit suffered reverses. The New York Yankees bowed 6 to 2 to Washington when the Senators landed on Russell Van Atta in the first inning, collecting six hits and four runs.

St. Louis Browns handed the Detroit Tigers a 3 to 3 setback on a combination of home runs by Irving Blythe and Ray Pepper. Philadelphia's Athletics outslugged Boston 12 to 1 after spotting the Boston Red Sox in the first two innings.

Chicago was bracketed with Cleveland for an off day.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE  
The results of the northern openings seem to indicate the fans lost very little, if any, enthusiasm during the two weeks the teams were playing in the "southern" half of the circuit.

Where some 33,000 fans, considered a good opening-day turnout, saw the season's first games April 18, a total of more than 48,000 packed into the parks at Toronto, Montreal, Rochester and Buffalo yesterday.

Toronto's Maple Leafs easily copied attendance honors. The Leafs drew approximately 17,000 fans to see them drop a 3 to 2 decision to Albany Senators and wind up again in a three-way tie for second place with Newark and Syracuse.

The league-leading Rochester Red Wings smashed out a 9 to 4 victory over Baltimore Orioles, getting extra base hits in big bunches.

Buffalo Bisons, despite their place at the bottom of the standing, had a paid attendance of 11,430 and they celebrated by shattering their string of losses with a 14 to 6 triumph over the Newark Bears. Montreal defeated Syracuse 2 to 1.

At New York—R. H. E.  
Brooklyn..... 5 9 1  
New York..... 6 10 1  
Batteries—Perkins, Mungo and Lopez; Sukerforth, Schumacher and Mancuso.

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.  
Chicago..... 2 9 1  
Pittsburgh..... 4 9 0  
Batteries—Warneke and Hartnett; Meine and Grace.

At St. Louis—R. H. E.  
Cincinnati..... 1 8 1  
St. Louis..... 4 9 0  
Batteries—Frey, Lindsay and O'Farrell; Carleton, J. Dean and V. Davis.

At Boston—R. H. E.  
Philadelphia..... 12 16 0  
Boston..... 2 11 13 5  
Batteries—Benito, Dietrich, Kline and Bengie; Hayes, Rhodes, Phipps, Walberg, Penneck and Ferrell.

At Detroit—R. H. E.  
St. Louis..... 2 7 2  
Detroit..... 2 7 2  
Batteries—Bleholder and Hemley; Sorrell, Auger, Rowe and Cochran.

At Washington—R. H. E.  
New York..... 2 9 0  
Washington..... 6 11 3  
Batteries—Van Atta, Murphy.

## Abe Mitchell Captures Medal

Southport, Eng., May 3.—That able veteran of the British golf world, Abe Mitchell, compiled a sub-par 68 yesterday, to win the qualifying medal in the Southport professional tournament.

Audrey Boomer and Henry Cotton, co-favorites with Mitchell in the starting field of 119, were far in his wake. Boomer, English-born professional at St. Clouds, France, finished with 77, while Cotton needed 78.

Smythe and Dickey; Weaver and Berg.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE  
Albany 3, Toronto 2.  
Syracuse 1, Montreal 2.  
Newark 6, Buffalo 14.  
Eastmore 4, Rochester 9.

COAST LEAGUE  
At Los Angeles—R. H. E.  
San Francisco..... 13 18 1  
Hollywood..... 5 8 2  
Batteries—Mails, Ballou and Woodall; Quinn, Hill, Herbert and Susce.

At Sacramento (night game)—R. H. E.  
Oakland..... 6 10 1  
Sacramento..... 7 14 1  
Batteries—Ludolph, Salinen and Raymond; Flynn and Wirtz.

At San Francisco (night game)—R. H. E.  
Los Angeles..... 6 12 1  
Missions..... 2 7 2  
Batteries—Thomas and Campbell; Thurston and Duggan.

## MRS. JACKSON RETAINS TITLE

Wins Uplands Golf Crown By Defeating Miss Mackenzie-Grieve

Playing sound golf all of the way, Mrs. E. Jackson, tournament medalist, retained her women's championship of the Uplands Golf Club yesterday when she defeated Miss Mary Mackenzie-Grieve, 5 and 3, in the eighteen-hole final. Going in front early in the match, the champion ended the battle on the fifteenth green.

First flight honors was won by Mrs. R. L. Pocock, who defeated Miss Dorothy Fletcher, 2 up, while second flight honors went to Mrs. Nickson, who scored a 5 and 4 victory over Mrs. Poole. Mrs. Hope captured the third flight, defeating Mrs. Combe, 3 and 2. The many beautiful prizes were presented in the clubhouse by R. L. Chalmers, president of the club.

## THE STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	10	3	.769
Chicago	10	4	.714
Pittsburgh	8	5	.615
Boston	6	6	.500
St. Louis	6	7	.462
Brooklyn	5	8	.385
Philadelphia	4	8	.333
Cincinnati	3	10	.231

AMERICAN LEAGUE	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	8	5	.615
Cleveland	8	4	.667
Detroit	7	5	.583
Washington	7	5	.583
Boston	6	7	.462
St. Louis	6	8	.431
Philadelphia	5	8	.385
Chicago	4	7	.364

COAST LEAGUE	Won	Lost	Pct.
Los Angeles	23	6	.793
Missions	20	8	.680
San Francisco	18	11	.621
Hollywood	13	16	.447
Sacramento	11	16	.407
Oakland	11	17	.393
Seattle	10	17	.370
Portland	8	19	.296

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE	Won	Lost	Pct.
Rochester	9	9	.500
Toronto	6	4	.600
Montreal	6	6	.500
Newark	5	6	.455
Albany	5	5	.500
Buffalo	4	7	.364
Baltimore	4	9	.308
St. Louis	2	7	.222
Detroit	2	7	.222

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION	Won	Lost	Pct.
Minneapolis	10	3	.769
Indianapolis	8	5	.615
Toledo	6	6	.500
Kansas City	6	7	.462
Milwaukee	5	7	.417
Columbus	5	7	.417
St. Paul	4	8	.333

## COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS



Displaying good form, Knights of Pythias trundlers defeated Panterium Dye Works in the post-season play-offs to capture the championship of the Olympic Commercial Fivepin Bowling League. Those pictured above are: Standing, Geo. W. Allison, M. H. Barry, Geo. Davies, W. Marshall and A. Haines; sitting, John Hammond and Alf. A. Hockley.

## Toy Dog Exhibit Is Great Success

Nearly Fifty Entries at First Show Yesterday of Newly-formed B.C. Toy Dog Club; Keen Competition in All Classes

In point of attendance as well as from a monetary consideration, success was achieved yesterday at the first parlor dog show to be arranged by the newly-formed B.C. Toy Dog Club, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. McC. Moore, Rockwell Avenue, the George. It had been planned to have the show on the lawn but the inclement weather made the event a truly "parlor" one.

The difficult task of judging the entries, which numbered about fifty, was in the hands of W. C. Burnes, who was assisted by Alec McCloy, chairman of C.K.C. advisory board of Vancouver Island. At the conclusion of the judging, tea was served by the hostess, who was assisted by Mrs. M. Howard, Mrs. P. Howard and the Misses Nora, Prudhorn, Eileen MacPherson and Elaine Moore.

Results follow:

PEKINESE  
Open dogs—1, Mrs. Youle with Craigmor Chan Chasing; 2, Mrs. Shaw with Lo Chel.  
Novice dogs—1, Mrs. McGill with Shantung Sheik; 2, Mrs. A. Forbes with Tanar.

Limit dogs—Mrs. H. J. Pendray with Ah Chu.  
Open dogs, reds—1, Miss E. Moore with Jiggs of Craigmor; 2, Mrs. A. Forbes with Tanar; 3, Mrs. McGill with Shantung Sheik.

Open dogs, orange or any color—1, Mrs. Castle with Shantung Chin Chen; 2, Mrs. Inglett with Bob Bob.  
Puppy bitches—1, Mrs. Castle with Manchu Lady; 2, Mrs. Brodurst with Me Me; 3, Mrs. Forbes with Jane.

Open bitches, red or red brindle—1, Mrs. Castle with Manchu Lady; 2, Mrs. Brodurst with Me Me; 3, Mrs. Forbes with Jane.

FORD OF CANADA  
East Windsor, Ont., May 3 (Canadian Press)—The Ford Motor Company of Canada Limited, will pay a dividend of 50 cents per share, payable on May 29, to shareholders of record May 8. It was announced by Wallace R. Campbell, president, at the annual meeting here yesterday.

## BRITISH GOLF CHAMPION IS BARRED



The announcement of the Ladies' Golf Union of Great Britain that Enid Wilson had been barred from competitive golf came as a shock to the golf world. Enid Wilson, British women's golf champion, and one of the leading players of the world, was declared ineligible to defend her title this year because of violation of the amateur code. Miss Wilson writes for a London newspaper, but got herself in hot water when she invited golfers to send in photographs of themselves making various shots and she would then, point out the faults of their technique. At the left Miss Wilson is shown winning her first British title. Below, an enthusiastic gallery watches her make a terrific drive to capture her second championship, and at top, right, Miss Wilson proudly holds the coveted trophy after annexing her third title.

## Horometer Favored For King's Plate

R. S. McLaughlin's Brown Gelding Heavily Backed Choice to Win Seventy-fifth Running of Canadian Turf Classic at Toronto on May 19

Toronto, May 3. — A lanky brown gelding, yet to taste defeat, has been installed as public choice for the seventy-fifth running of the King's Plate, annual classic of Canadian turfdom. From more than two score of the best three-year-olds and up Ontario racing stables could produce, R. S. McLaughlin's three-year-old Horometer has become the strongest favorite in years for the oldest continuously-run fixture in North America.

The consistent son of Hourless, out of Star Pal, has been selected as unanimously as any racing favorite could be. Horometer holds a reputation in never losing his many starts as a juvenile. Also there is a mediocre field of 1934 candidates. The present list probably will be cut down to about a dozen for the historic race, to be staged at the opening of the Woodbine meeting, Saturday, May 19.

Making first choice more decisive is the entry with the McLaughlin candidate of another gelding, Pitchblende, along with Mad Miss, the little bay daughter of Mad Hatter and French Miss, from the stable of R. W. R. Cowie, owner of the King's Plate in 1931 and 1932. Horometer, Pitchblende and Mad Miss are all under the entry of the veteran trainer, Harry Giddings, saddler of Cowie's fully Queensway, which set the plate record of 1:53 1-5 for the mile and an eighth in 1932.

There is every probability, however, Mad Miss, a capable mudder, will be withdrawn unless the race is heavy going. J. T. Smallman's Andros, a son of the most definite third choice.

King's Plate is worth fifty guineas from the King's Plate, added by the Ontario Jockey Club.

ENCOURAGING BREEDING  
Stringent rules of the Plate, first donated by Queen Victoria in 1859, confine the contest to Ontario-bred three-year-olds and up who have never won a race since graduating from juvenile company. It was for the purpose of encouraging the breeding of thoroughbreds in the province, the fixture was inaugurated. The Earl of Minto, former Governor-General of Canada, said on his return to England: "Nothing, in my opinion, has done more good for horse breeding in Canada than the King's Plate run at Toronto."

Until 1883, the Queen's Plate, as it was then known, was run at various Ontario tracks — London, Hamilton, St. Catharines, Whitby, Kingston, Ot-

The probable starters in the One Thousand, with jockeys and owners, follow: Campanula (Harry Wragg), Sir George Bullough; Foxcroft (Childs), Marshall Field; Honey Bunsard (Smith), Sir L. Phillips; Kilnurray (—), Sir R. Garton; Light Brocade (Carslake), Lord Durham; Meadow Rhu (Dick), G. F. Hartigan; Mrs. Ruston (Fox), H.H. the Aga Khan; Minto (Jones), the late W. M. and Binger; Playful (Steve Donohue), J. B. Joel; Spend a Penny (Perryman), Sir Alfred Butt and Tetrapiyon (Gordon Richards), J. A. Dewar.

C.N.R. REVENUES  
Montreal, May 3.—Gross revenues of the Canadian National Railways for the ninety-day period ended April 30, were \$4,686,601 as compared with \$3,550,328 for the corresponding period of 1933, an increase of \$1,136,273.

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The Leaders—Klein, Cubs, 6; Ott, Giants, 6; Hartnett, Cubs, 5; Fox, Athletics, 5; Bonura, White Sox, 5. League Totals—National, 70; American, 58. Total, 128.

O. C. SOCCER  
London, May 3 (Canadian Press)—Soccer matches to-day resulted as follows:

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION  
Liverpool 3, Manchester City 2.

THIRD DIVISION  
Southern Section  
Carlton Athletic 1, Swindon Town 0.

Sheriff of London's Shield  
Tottenham Hotspurs 7, Corinthians 4.

bell 574. K. Mackenzie 379. M. Mackenzie 608. W. Petrie 543. Total 2,788. Whitem won two.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE ON FOLLOWING ROUTES, EFFECTIVE MONDAY, MAY 7

## NANAIMO

Leave Victoria 9.15 a.m. 1.30 p.m. 6.15 p.m.  
Leave Nanaimo 8.00 a.m. 1.00 p.m. 8.30 p.m.

## COLWOOD--LANGFORD LAKE

Leave Victoria 9.15 a.m. 1.30 p.m. 6.15 p.m.  
Leave Langford 11.00 a.m. 4.05 p.m. 11.15 p.m.  
(Take Nanaimo Coach)

## WEST SAANICH ROAD

WEEK-DAYS  
Leave Victoria 9.15 a.m. 1.30 p.m. 5.30 p.m. 11.15 p.m.  
Leave Butchart's 8.00 a.m. 11.05 a.m. 4.10 p.m. 6.05 p.m. (Out Only)  
Leave Moodyville 10.55 a.m. 4.00 p.m. 6.30 p.m.  
Leave Mt. Newton 7.45 a.m. 6.20 p.m.  
\*From Corner of Brentwood College Road and Keating Crossroad.

SUNDAYS ONLY  
Leave Victoria 9.15 a.m. 2.00 p.m. 7.00 p.m. 10.15 p.m.  
Leave Butchart's 11.05 a.m. 4.30 p.m. 8.00 p.m. (Out Only)  
Leave Moodyville 10.55 a.m. 4.20 p.m. 7.50 p.m.

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# Bralorne and B.R.X. Gain at Vancouver

Canadian Press  
Vancouver, May 3. — Bralorne, rising 25 to \$14, and B.R.X. up 3 to \$12, registered the only major gains in the morning session of the Vancouver Stock Exchange to-day, as the market, on the whole, failed to react favorably to the revised gold tax.

C. Nickel sold off 6 to \$19. Deuna was 4 lower at \$14.3, Norgold reaching 18, eased to 16, Minto eased to 74 and Nicola held unchanged at 80.

In the senior golds, Cariboo held at \$10, Pioneer brought \$13. Victoria and Bradan \$2.60.

Others closed as follows: B. R. Cons Morning Star 35, Taylor Bridge Premier \$1.30, Grange 31, Vanalta

Pioneer—400 at 12.50.  
Premier Gold—1,400 at 1.30.  
Steeves—300 at .20.  
René—500 at .94, 500 at 1.00.  
Columbia—1,000 at .85, 1,200 at 1.00.  
800 at .58, 500 at .59.  
Vanalta—150 at .46, 300 at .42.  
Wrayide—500 at .42.  
B. R. Nickel—850 at 1.88, 200 at 1.40.  
200 at 1.70, 1,100 at 1.71, 1,000 at 1.60.  
10,000 at 1.73, 700 at 1.74, 14,150 at 1.71.  
1,200 at 1.60.

Big Missouri—300 at 31.  
Cotton Belt—250 at .65.  
Canadian Rand—3,500 at 31.  
Congress—700 at 24, 2,000 at 30.  
Denholm—10 at 1.44, 3,600 at 1.47.  
at 1.49.  
Fairview—100 at 32, 500 at 32 1/2.  
Ranger—100 at 30.  
Grail Wilbans—3,500 at 45, 1,000 at 41.  
41 1/2, 500 at 48, 1,000 at 46 (6-60).  
Gleconda Ext.—300 at 12.  
Hedley—1,000 at 35 1/2.  
Home—500 at 34.

Yesterday afternoon sales were:

**Oils**  
Cotton—200 at 17.  
Fur—300 at 15.  
Kerosene—200 at 17.  
Killing—100 at 65.  
Lard—100 at 28.  
Lard—200 at 44.50 at 45.  
Lard—200 at 28.  
Lard—100 at 47.00 at 48.  
**Mines**  
Canadian—122 at 2.60.50 at 2.65.  
Mexican—100 at 38.50 at 38.  
291.  
Mex—2,200 at 1.18.40 at 1.19.1,300  
21 lb-60.  
Barbaco—400 at 2.35.  
Gila River—1,000 at 62%.  
Gila River—1,000 at 35.  
Gila River—1,000 at 62%.  
Gila—450 at 81.

**Stocks**  
Kootenay Flour—1,000 at 62.  
Wheat—1,000 at 74.1,700 at 75.600  
76.100 at 77.  
Koble River—3,000 at 39.300 at 39.  
5,000 at 29.  
Mogul—5,000 at 51%.  
12,000 at 13.  
900.15% 1,300 at 10.  
Reward—1,000 at 10.1,000 at 10%.  
Rufus—1,000 at 62.  
Shannon—250 at 30.1,000 at 30%.  
Silvercreek—400 at 62%.  
Standard—100 at 32.  
Sunbush—100 at 32.  
Tilling—2,000 at 30.20,000 at 20%.  
4.  
Waverly—15,000 at 31%.

**Grain**  
Coast Breweries—1,000 at 11.25.40 at 11.  
200 at 11.

**BAR GOLD**  
London, May 3—Bar gold declined 1/2 to 132. (U.S. gold at 85 on basis of sterling equivalent at 65 1/2.)

# Results Awaited

Twelve of Large Mines in Canada Expected to Contribute \$9,000,000 to Federal Government in Year

Canadian Press

Miners across Canada expect the revision of the federal gold taxation plan to-day with general approval, according to Canadian Press dispatches from numerous points. They were expected to be satisfied the assessment would not touch the small producer of the yellow metal or low-grade ore mines. The fight against the straight 10 per cent levy was waged on behalf of these groups.

Development of the gold mining industry, given impetus when the United States set a high minimum price of \$35 an ounce for the metal, will be watched with interest under the altered tax, announced Wednesday.

tionality of the tax, if any existed, was dealt with by changing the procedure to place a 25 per cent tax on the premium paid instead of a 10 per cent tax on production.

As a further guarantee against anything in the nature of expropriation, the gold mine companies will be permitted to credit their corporation income tax against their 25 per cent tax.

The tax, which will run from April 1 of this year to May 31, 1935, will not apply to any company not now paying dividends, nor to any company which did not pay dividends prior to January 1, 1933.

In no case will the tax operate when the premium is such that the price to the producer is less than \$30 an ounce. This was the same provision placed in the original proposal.

Announcement of the change was made just before the adjournment of the House yesterday afternoon by Prime Minister Bennett.

## Canadian Press

### TWELVE AFFECTED

Toronto, May 3. — Under the government's revised plan of taxation on gold production, only twelve com-

which did not pay dividends to January 1, 1933, and all other mines are exempt from the new tax of 25 per cent on the dividend income between \$350 marks and \$20,670 statutory price. A dozen of the large dividend-paying mines are expected to be expected to pay government \$40,000,000.

Mr. Bennett, Minister of Mines. Hon. Charles McCreery, who conferred with the Minister on the question of the effect of changing the old level of tax at Toronto the modification was fair and satisfactory one." The new tax on the mining industry, said he, will be "full steam ahead."

**SUBSTANTIAL**

George Bateman, secretary of the Ontario Mining Association, welcomed the Minister Bennett's announcement. "It is, of course, no question that a substantial relief has been granted on the industry, but the matter and everybody will try and make the most of it," he remarked.

Mr. Whinship, the Black, president of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, said the alteration in the tax would ease the burden on the industry and would permit the development of new properties hazardous.

"It can be no valid objections to the new tax," he said, "as it is not a new tax." Mr. E. R. B. Smith, vice-president of the Nova Scotia Gold and Silver Company, at Halifax. "There is no objection to imposition of the new tax. And the tax in its new form is really a tax on profits."

**PROVISIONS**

Mr. Bennett, May 3.—The government has announced yesterday to non-dividend-paying mines, and producers of low grade ores by announcing yesterday the provisions of the new tax would not apply to the mining industry.

They now paying dividends, are exempt.

Some companies of whose names the levy falls are Lake Shore, and Hughes, Wright Hargreaves and Sybil, and in the Kirkland Lake field, the Ontario and the McIntyre in the Porcupine district; Noranda, Siscoe in Quebec and Pioneer, Consolidated Smelters and Premier in British Columbia.

Companies raised in recent months to the status of dividend payers, but which escape the tax because of the fact they were not dividend payers at the time of the change, are the Ontario and Buffalo-Ankerite in Ontario, Siskiwit in Manitoba and Brothers in British Columbia. These five companies will pay a total of \$500,000, it is held that will not be taxed.

Some eighteen companies, scattered over Canada, mainly from Quebec to British Columbia, are exempt from the group producing gold from their own mills, but which are not dividend payers and therefore are not taxed.

**MODERN DAY MINING**

Modern Day Mining and Smelting Company, a copper mining company, primarily, but also the eighth gold producer in the world, in British Columbia Reno and Cariboo Copper quartz are getting into production of considerable volume. International Nickel Company, Ltd., is producing at the Howse Sound Copper all products gold as a by-product.

Ontario has the largest number of small non-dividend producers.

**MINISTER'S EXPLANATION**

The new form of the gold tax was the best that could be devised, having regard to putting the burden of the mines best able to pay, Hon. W. Bennett, Minister of Mines, stated in commenting later on the measure announced by Premier Bennett. The minister said he was well satisfied



# JAPAN SAILS ON SATURDAY

## Thirty Passengers Will Be Taking Short Vacation-Trip to Honolulu

which is now alongside the Yarrow plant in Esquimalt harbor receiving overhaul and extensive alterations to her passenger accommodation preparatory to being commissioned on the Alaska run next month.

# STRIKE VOTE TO BE HELD

## Vancouver Longshoremen to Vote on Strike, But Vic- toria Will Not Join.

Vancouver, May 3.—Possibility of a longshoremen's strike here loomed yesterday when 600 members of the Vancouver and District Waterfront Workers' Association unanimously voted the association's strike committee authority to call a strike vote on May 12.

The men's decision was made at a meeting yesterday evening when a majority interim finding of the conciliation board which has been hearing a dispute between the association and the Shipping Federation of British Columbia was announced.

The board's finding recommended that the dock earnings and the cost of the goods be reduced, dispatching and distribution be maintained by the association, and that the Workers' Association should not admit any new members unless approved by the Federation.

The finding was concurred in by Judge H. B. Robertson, chairman, and J. E. Hall, representing the Federation.

C. N. Stewart, representing the

The proposed strike in Vancouver will not affect any longshoremen's organizations in Victoria or on Vancouver Island. All organizations on the island work independently of the Vancouver and District Waterfront Workers' Association. Efforts were recently made to have Vancouver

Island organizations join the Shipping Federation of British Columbia

**Pilot Gilbert**

## Receives Honor

Ottawa, May 3.—The McKee Trophy, symbol of the most noteworthy annual contribution to Canadian aviation, awarded to Walter E. Gilbert, was presented to him yesterday by Hon. D. M. Sutherland, Minister of National Defence.

Mr. Gilbert, a pilot of long experience, has made many flights under adverse conditions in the northwest.

Mr. Gilbert, born at Cardinal, Ont., is thirty-four years of age. He served with the Royal Flying Corps, the R.A.F. and the R.C.A.F. He resigned from the latter in 1928 to become a commercial pilot.

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SANTA ROSA, New York, Havana, Pan-  
ama, Spanish Americas, and California

**EMPERESS OF ASIA.** Manila Hongkong.

Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama, May 7.  
**PACIFIC PRESIDENT**, London, Glasgow, Manchester and Liverpool, May 7.  
**GRACIA**, United Kingdom, May 10.  
**HEIAN MARU** (at Vancouver), Japan

IXION; China and Japan, May 14.

**PRESIDENT GRANT.** Philippines, China and Japan, May 15.  
**AORANGI.** Sydney, Auckland, Suva and Honolulu, May 17.  
**LOCH GOIL.** Rotterdam and London, May 18.  
**SANTA ELENA.** New York, Havana, Panama, Central America, Mexico and California ports, May 19.  
**PACIFIC TRADER.** London, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow, May 22.  
**EMPEROR OF CANADA.** Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and

**PRESIDENT McKINLEY** Philippines

China and Japan. May 29.  
**MODAVIA**, United Kingdom. May 31.  
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**DRECHTDYK**, Rotterdam and London.  
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Central America, Mexico and California, June 2.

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ohama, June 4.  
PACIFIC PIONEER, London, Liverpool,  
Manchester and Glasgow, June 4.  
PRESIDENT JACKSON, Philippines,  
China and Japan, June 12.  
NIAGARA, Sydney, Auckland, Suva and

**DINTELDYK**, Rotterdam and London.

June 15.  
SANTA PAULA, New York, Havana, Panama, Central America, Mexico and California, June 16.  
HIVE MARU (at Vancouver), Japan, June 16.  
SUFFER, London, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow, June 19.  
EMPRESS OF JAPAN, Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu, June 19.  
GERALDIA, United Kingdom, June 21.  
TALTHYLUS, China and Japan, June 25.  
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON, Philippines, China and Japan, June 26.  
DAMSTEREDYS, Rotterdam and London, June 29.  
SANTA ROSA, New York, Havana, Panama, Central America, Mexico and California, June 30.

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**FIREMEN**

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To the Editor:—I have been talking  
the matter of the firemen's griev-

I would suggest that \$100 a month be given to all regardless of rank except the chief and deputies.

No doubt we want an efficient brigade but it is a calling that any person used to climbing could easily fill.

The work is not hard but monotonous and not particularly dangerous—no more so than the average house builder or shingler meets day by day.

The principal nuisance is that the insurer has to pay for the upkeep of a fire brigade when it should by right be paid for by the insurance companies who net around \$350,000 out of Victoria each year.

A lot of property owners are very hard pressed upon some civic employees.

**PROPERTY POOR.**

**RAPS "HUMBUG"**

To the Editor: — The last time I wished to rebel against absurdity, if

not blatant humbug, you quite justifiably drew the conclusion that to publish my series of protest would cause demand for publication for a plethora of ideas, which you had not room to accommodate.

Well, again I wish to rebel against more absurdity, if not humbug, by briefly asserting that your columnist

and the edoubtable Gerry McGeer are entirely wrong when they intimate that gold is not a suitable body of reference for measuring economic value. Also, they are entirely wrong when they say, or intimate, that present economic tools cannot be used in

which way as to provide that standard of comfort for all people of Canada, which present technique could supply.

To close one's eyes to truth and attempt to substitute falsehood, for what would bring about social development. It will bring chaos and put more ignorance and trickery in power. This is senseless.

Learn to use the economic tools we have, go to those who now abuse their use with a sane proposal, and if someone they may offer, will break under it.

Absurdity and, or, humbug, can only put our good ship into the teeth of a hurricane, with an incompetent captain in control.

CHARLES ELLIS.  
1627 Hollywood Crescent, Victoria.  
May 2.

**BRALORNE MINES**  
Vancouver, May 3 (Canadian

(Press)—The enlarged 400-ton mill at the operations of Bralorne Mines Limited will be ready for operation about August, President Austin C. Taylor announced yesterday. He also stated the mine would more than double its reserves of ore within the next six months. Reserves at present are 300,000 tons of ore.

Mr. Taylor declared he expects the company will show a net profit of \$1,600,000 during the year.

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